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Whitaker's job sought by 'fired' commissioner

Former chairwoman in court August 12

By PAUL WOLF and TAMARA GRIPPI

A MAN who was removed from the planning commission by Mayor Clint Eastwood 12 years ago is now being tapped to fill the seat vacated by former commissioner Yoko Whitaker.

Mayor Ken White has nominated Eugene Hammond — a commissioner from 1984 to 1986 — to fill the "temporary" vacancy left when Whitaker was charged with possession of marijuana and took a leave of absence.



Eugene Hammond in 1984.

Hammond was one of the seven commissioners fired en masse by Eastwood in 1986 — the year the film giant was elected mayor with a 72% majority.

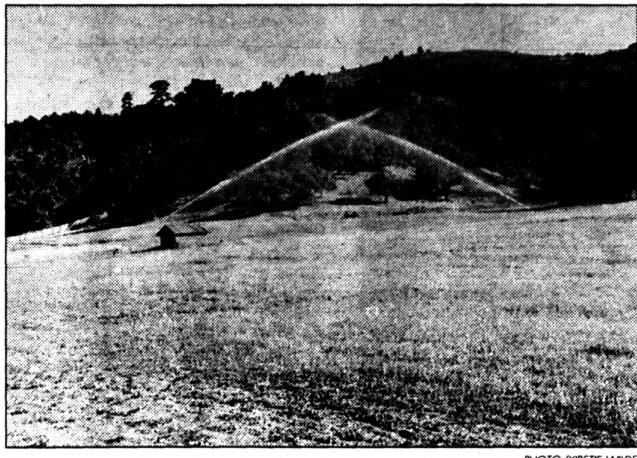
Last year, Hammond moved back to Carmel after nine years in Southern California. After living in Carmel from 1972 to 1988, he

moved with his wife to Borrego Springs. When she died in 1997, he returned to

A retired business executive, Hammond was first elected to the council in early 1976, and subsequently was selected mayor by his council colleagues. (The first direct popular elections for mayor took place in 1978.) Hammond served as mayor for only five months.

Last week, the Monterey County Dis-

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While the only groundwater used on September Ranch has gone to irrigation and agriculture, the water rights are sufficient for the planned 117 homes, the county reports.

County says September Ranch has all the water 117 homes will need

By PAUL WOLF

COUNTY WATER officials told the Monterey County Planning Commission this week that there is a solid basis for supplying water to the 117-unit September Ranch in Carmel.

Despite this breakthrough for September Ranch Partners at the July 29 commission meeting, one commissioner strenuously objected to that conclusion and a contingent of subdivision opponents showed that concerns about the project go far beyond water.

Al Mulholland, a hydrologist with the Monterey County Water Resources Agency, outlined the formula that sets aside the 61 acre-feet of water necessary

for the 100-home gated community and the 17 affordable housing units required by the county.

The ranch includes pastureland and hills that have been used sporadically for agriculture over the decades. Its landmark red barn and horse stables stand on the north side of Carmel Valley Road about two miles east of Highway 1.

The project calls for the removal of 300 oaks (out of 15,200) and 610 pines (out of 66,540) on the 891-acre September Ranch, of which 792 acres will be preserved in private or common open space. Only the affordable townhouses would be visible from Carmel

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Caltrans: Freeway to be delayed just 'a few months'

By KIRSTIE WILDE

WHILE THE anti-freeway forces exulted in their victory in federal court this week, Caltrans was quietly moving forward to build its Hatton Canyon Scenic Highway.

Is the project "dead in the water," as opponent Gary Tate proclaimed Tuesday? Or is this latest ruling just a bump in the road for Caltrans engineers?

Tony Anciano, lead · attorney for Caltrans, told The Pine Cone, "It will mean a delay, but I don't anticipate that being longer than a few months."

On July 22, U.S. District Judge Spencer Williams reversed his own ruling from 1994 (which upheld the adequacy of the Hatton Canyon Environmental Impact Report on all grounds) and decided that the portion of the EIR that deals with "cumulative impacts" is inadequate.

The original suit challenging Caltrans' environmental analysis of the proposed Hatton Canyon Freeway was filed by the City of Carmel, the Monterey Peninsula Regional Park District, the Hatton Canyon Coalition and the Sierra Club in 1991.

All of the claims raised by the city and the other plaintiffs in the suit were rejected by a federal appeals court last year, except one: that Caltrans' analysis of the cumulative impacts of the new freeway and other development projects in the area on wetlands, the Monterey pine and Hickman's onion was inadequate.

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Longtime shop owner Richard Zoellin loved pleasures of old-time Carmel

By TAMARA GRIPPI

JOSEPH RICHARD Zoellin, who owned the Carmel Drive-In Market for 32 years, enjoyed being a part of the oldtime fraternity of local merchants who met for coffee be-

OBITUARY fore work every morning and then played golf in the evenings.

Mr. Zoellin, a 53-year resident of Carmel Valley, died July 18. He was 82.

He was born February 8, 1916 in Hollister, to one of the Bitterwater Valley pioneer farming families. He graduated from King City High School in 1933.

Mr. Zoellin worked for Monterey County Bank from 1935 to 1948 and was bank manager of the Fort Ord Branch during the war years.

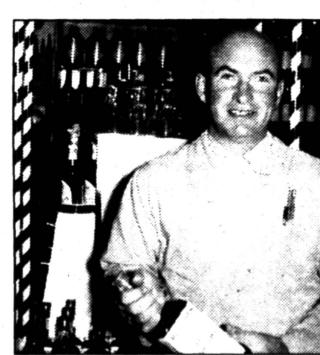
'We always remembered little Sammy Farr trudging up the steep hill, pulling his little red wagon full of empty bottles redeemable for about a nickel.'

- Evelyn Zoellin

In 1949, Mr. Zoellin and his wife, Evelyn, bought the market on Dolores and Eighth in Carmel.

"It was a wonderful little store," Mrs. Zoellin said. "It was just old-time Carmel."

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Richard Zoellin counted poet Robinson Jeffers among his faithful customers at the Carmel Drive-In Market



Fallen tree leads to tragedy for family camping in Big Sur

By TAMARA GRIPPI

AN 80-FOOT redwood tree fell on a family's tent in the Big Sur Campgrounds, killing their baby boy in the early morning hours July 29.

The Hermans family — on vacation from their home in Mission Viejo — were sleeping at 4:20 a.m. when the tree came crashing down onto their tent. The couple and their other two children were not injured. Sutherland, their 16-month-old son, was killed.

Three other children, who were sleeping in a van parked at camping spot nearby, were awakened by the creaking of the tree and tried to run away. One of the children suffered minor bruises, but the others were

Campgrounds manager Rick Aldinger heard the thunderous crash and rushed down to help the Hermans family.

"It's tragic that this would happen to a child that young — or to anybody," said Lt. Dave Allard of the Monterey County Sheriff's Department.

The 80- to 100-foot redwood tree appeared to be healthy and showed no sign that it was in danger of falling, according to Aldinger.

Rare incident

"We live in a forest and trees have a life expectancy just like people," he said. But this incident was unusual because in happened during the summer, unprovoked by a storm.

Aldinger said that a tree expert will examine the fallen tree to determine why it suddenly toppled. Campgrounds officials periodically do inspections of the trees. However, sometimes the only way to figure out there's a problem with a tree is to

cut it open and look inside, he said.

And although injuries from falling trees at the campground have been rare, there is really no way to completely prevent such catastrophes, Aldinger said. "The only way I know of, is to cut down all the trees," he

Campgrounds officials temporarily closed off the two camp sites while crews removed the fallen redwood. The rest of the camping area is open to the public.

"I've been here 10 years," Aldinger said. "This is the first time there's even been an injury.

Candidates from far and near apply for Carmel planning job

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

THE SEARCH is on to replace Carmel Senior Planner Rick Tooker. who left his job after nine years July 24. The deadline for applications is Friday July 31, according to Carmel Planning Director Brian Roseth.

The city advertised for the new planner in publications throughout the western United States. So far, 40 applications have been sent out.

The number of people who receive interviews depends on the quality of applications, Roseth said. The last time the city had to fill a planning position, Roseth interviewed about 10 people.

The planning director said he hopes to fill the senior planner position by the end of September.





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Closed Session (3:00 p.m.)
As permitted by Government Code §54956 et seq. of the State of California, the City Council may adjourn to Closed Session to discuss specific matters dealing with personnel and/or pending possible Intigation and/or conferring with the City Council's Meyers-Milias Brown Act representative. The City Council will discuss the following:

A. LABOR NEGOTIATIONS -- Government Code \$54957.5 (a)

1. Meet and confer with the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea's Meyers-Milias-Brown Act representative (City Administrator Jere A. Kersnar) to give direction regarding labor negotiations for Fiscal year 1998/99 with the Management, General, Fire and Police Officers Associations.

B. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL -- LITIGATION -- Government Code \$54956.9 (a)

1. Orville J. Golub, et al., v. City of Carmel-by-the-Sea Monterey County Superior Court Case No. M 34693
Open Session and Call to Order (3:30 P.M.)
Pledge of Allegiance (Council Member McCloud)
Extraordinary Business

A. Presentation of a Ten-year Service Award to Richard W. Hillbun, Paid On-call Firefighter

B. Presentation of a Ten-year Service Award to William F. Scott, Intermittent Fire Engineer/Paid On-call Firefighter

C. Presentation of Certificate of Appreciation to Paul Laub for his ongoing generosity in support of the Mayor's Youth Fund Announcements from Closed Session, from City Council Members and the City Administrator A. Announcements from Closed Session

B. Announcements from City Council representatives on outside agencies
 1. Presentation from Mayor White on the 1/2 cent sales tax November ballot measure

C. Announcements from the City Administrator

1. Report on Fiscal Year 1997-98 year-end balances

A. Approve the City Council minutes for the meetings of 19 June, 13, 14, and 16 July 1998, copies having been distributed to members of the City

B. Ratify the bills paid for the month of July, 1998, copies having been distributed to members of the City Council
C. Adopt Findings for Decision supporting the Planning Commission's decision to approve a Negative Declaration for an application for the
demolition of an existing structure and construction of a new building on property located on the west side of San Antonio between 11th and 12th
Avenues (Block A4, Lots 3 and part of 4), owned by Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Donati.

D. Adopt Resolution No. 98-68 awarding the bid for the routing and cleanup of 86 tree stumps

E. Adopt Resolution No. 98-70 authorizing the expenditure of \$3,500 from the Reforestation Deposit Account for the purchase of a Resistograph tree

F. Adopt Resolution No. 98-71 establishing the position of Automated Systems Technician (Library), establishing the compensation for said position at Range 248, and eliminating the position title of Library Computer Assistant

G. Adopt Resolution No. 98-72 accepting s gift of \$1600 from the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am Youth Fund for deposit in the Mayor's Youth Fund to

assist with the Sand Castle Contest

Adopt Resolution No. 98-74 accepting a gift of \$2,000 from Paul Laub for deposit in the Mayor's Youth Fund
Adopt Resolution No. 98-75 naming the Third Avenue Walkway from Palou to N. San Antonio as the "Jane Powers Walkway" and authorizing the

necessary signage pursuant to City policy

Public Hearings
 A. Consideration of Ordinance No. 98-05 amending the Standards for Food Uses in the Commercial District (1st reading)
 B. Consideration of Ordinance No. 98-13 amending Chapters 17.12, 17.40 and 17.46 regarding the processes for design review and standards, criteria, and procedures for review of roofing materials and rooftop equipment (Continued to Sepember 1, 1998 meetings)
 C. Consideration of Ordinance No. 98-12 authorizing an amendment to the contract between the City of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea and the Board of Administration of the California Public Employees Retirement System to provide Section 21382.5 (Fourth Level of 1959 Survivors Benefits) for local Miscellaneous members and local Safety members pursuant to the 1996/97 Memoranda of Understanding (1st reading)
 1. Consideration of Resolution No. 98-69, Resolution of Intention to approve an amendment to Contract between the Board of Administration of the California Public Employees Retirement System and the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea

A. Consideration of Ordinance No. 98-06 amending Sections 2.04.010 through 2.04.150 of Chapter 2.04 of the Municipal Code, City Council by amending City Council procedures and meeting dates (second reading)

B. Consideration of Ordinance No. 98-11 establishing standards for the location, design and lighting for automated teller machines (ATMs)

(second reading)
C. Consideration of Ordinance No. 98-07 amending Chapter 13.32 of the Municipal Code in its entirety by adopting the Cable System Regulatory

Ordinance for the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea (second reading)

1. Consideration of Resolution No. 98-67 entering into a Franchise

Agreement with TCI for Cable Television Services D. Consideration of Ordinance 98-08 establishing an Overlay District and Permit Standards for beach-related properties; consideration of Ordinance 98-09 establishing an Overlay District and standards for approval of development near designated parks and open space; consideration of Ordinance No. 98-10 establishing an Overlay District and standards for properties with potential archaeological significance; (second reading for Ordinances Nos.

Orders of Council

A. Consideration of appointing an interim member to the Planning Commission

B. Receive report from the City Administrator relating to ambulance services and funding for said services

A. Consideration of Resolution No. 98-73 renewing the Lease Agreement with Carmel Heritage for the use of the First Murphy House and consideration

of a request to absorb the annual costs for garden maintenance, house cleaning service and 50 percent of the annual gas/electric costs The next meeting of the City Council will be: The Regular Meeting, September 1, 1998 • 3:00 p.m. Closed Session • 3:30 p.m. Open Session • City Hall Council Chambers

Biker pops wheelie, escapes at 120 mph

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

WHEN CARMEL Police Officer Larry Bagley saw a motorcyclist heading up Ocean Avenue at a speed of 40 to 50 mph late on the evening of July 10, he pursued the vehicle out of town and onto Highway 1.

According to Bagley, when he pulled to within three or four car lengths of the 'cycle, the biker suddenly accelerated, raising the bike onto its rear wheel and continuing northbound at about 60 mph.

The Carmel police officer then turned on his lights, at which point the motorcyclist looked back and sped away,

accelerating to what Bagley says was about 120 miles per hour!

The Carmel police office chased the biker "Code 3" — with his lights flashing and his siren blaring — all the way through Monterey until he reached the Highway 68 cutoff.

But when the biker swooped around the curving ramp at more than 80 mph Bagley quit the chase, "in the interest of public safety," according to police reports.

Chief Don Fusilier said, "This happens almost every time there's a big motorcycle race at Laguna Seca. Apparently, some of the race fans think they can drive like the pros."





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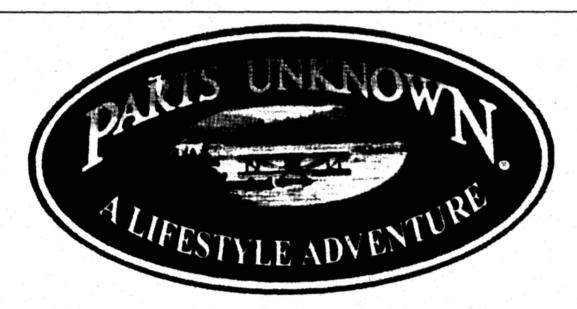
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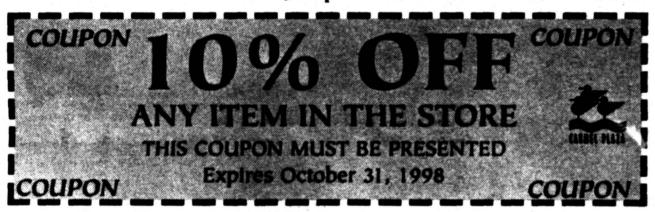
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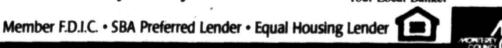
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Police & Sheriff's Log

Foreign visitors didn't want picture taken

HERE'S A look at some of the significant calls logged by the Carmel-by-the-Sea Police Department and the Monterey County Sheriff's Department last week.

SUNDAY, JULY 19

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Citizen reported that a man on Carmel Beach was being loud and rude. Apparently, subject was building a sand sculpture and solicited donations from passers-by. Citizen would not contribute. Subject counseled on being friendly.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Contacted several foreign visitors at Del Mar parking area who were upset about their photo having been taken.

Carmel area: Arroyo Trail resident reported a missing dog. The dog was tied to a post, but a short while later, the dog was nowhere to be found. Reporting party was advised to stay in touch with the SPCA.

Carmel area: Crossroads business owner reported a broken water pipe flooding his restaurant's kitchen. CDF found that a fire sprinkler had been activated, due to a fire started by the stove being left on.

Carmel Valley: Carmel Valley Road resident reported a tire on her car was slashed while it was parked at her apartment condo. Damage estimated at \$100.

Big Sur: Resident reported family problems between herself and her husband.

Big Sur: Inn night manager reported a domestic dispute in one of the guest rooms. Occupants were contacted.

MONDAY, JULY 20

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of loud music coming from church on Ocean. Upon arrival music was stopped.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Advised two tourists of Municipal Code concerning sleeping in vehicles.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Vehicle fire at Carpenter and Highway 1. California Department of Forestry and Carmel Fire responded. Fire extinguished.

Carmel-by-the-Sea:
Report of a Jeep and trailer
parked partially in roadway
on San Carlos. The vehicles
belong to the homeowner
and are in front of the house
while he builds a fence. No
violation.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Man from Danville parked his Cadillac on Ocean near Lincoln. Car was "keyed." Damage more then \$400.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Woman from Jamul fell on Mission near Fifth. Suffered bump and small cut on head.

Carmel Valley: Princes Camp resident reported that her home had been egged the previous night. She believed it was done by a neighborhood boy.

TUESDAY, JULY 21 Carmel-by-the-Sea:

Citizen on Lincoln reports receiving phone calls at approximately the same time on July 10, 13, 14, 16 and 17. Nothing was ever heard in the background. Calls are probably from an malfunctioning automated dialing system of some kind.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Stray dog on Scenic. Unable to catch animal. Owners notified and warned.

Report of telephone poledowned on Camino Del Monte turned out to be a downed TV cable. TCI notified.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Man passed out at the wheel of his parked 1987 Honda on Mission near Fourth. See POLICE LOG page 9C



Pine Cone classified ads get results!



New parks manager brings statewide experience to the job

By TAMARA GRIPPI

THE MONTEREY Peninsula Regional Park District's new general manager Joe Donofrio wants the parks organization to be taken more seriously — particularly when cities start talking about economic development.

"Many times when we're looking at revitalizing downtown areas, ways to attract tourism and enhance quality of life in the community," he said, "parks and recreation has a role to play."

The park board of directors unanimously selected Donofrio to replace the retiring Gary Tate on July 24.

Donofrio, 45, comes to the Peninsula from the city of Lake Forest, where he has been director of community services since 1992. He was in charge of parks and recreation, libraries, public safety, fire departments, animal control and emergency services there.

Donofrio explained that his experience with both public safety and parks gave him a unique perspective on how parks and recreation can help in crime prevention.

"We have the role of trying to give kids something to do that's constructive and creative to open up their minds to the wonders of the world," he said.



Board Member Mary Dainton welcomes Joe Donofrio, who replaces Gary Tate, retiring after 25 years as Manager of the Monterey Peninsula Regional Parks District.

Donofrio and his wife, Linda, plan to move to the Peninsula by mid-August when he will take the reigns from Gary Tate, who will retire after 25 years as general manager. The Donofrios have three daughters; the youngest will attend a middle school in the area.



'The big picture'

Donofrio was the district's top pick from a pool of 28 applicants from all over the state. Board members said that Donofrio's experience in negotiation and his people skills put him over the top.

"He has a passion for open space," said Mary Dainton, the president of the board. "We wanted someone who would be compatible with the district and he fit the bill."

Donofrio recently finished serving as president of a state organization whose members represent all the parks in California. Leading that group's 750 administrators taught Donofrio the importance of looking at the "big picture." The Monterey Peninsula Regional Park District needs to be in tune with what's going on statewide, especially when new funding sources become available, Donofrio said.

The new manager's goals for the Peninsula include acquiring additional park land and open space, linking trails and encouraging residents to enjoy all the parks that are available.

Carmel firm welcomes veteran attorney

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

CARMEL ATTOR-NEY Linda Sunde has joined the firm Heisinger, Buck, Morris and Rose as an Associate attorney.

Ms. Sunde is a graduate of Stanford University and the San Francisco College of Law.

She began her legal career as a deputy district attorney in Alameda County, and later moved into civil practice and began working on commercial disputes in California and New York.

In 1994 she opened her own office in Carmel, specializing in litigation involving contracts, wills, trusts, employment and real estate.

Heisinger, Buck, Morris and Rose now has four partners and two associates.



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Foresters await answer to pitch canker problem: money

By PAUL WOLF

By MONTH'S end, the effort to solve the pitch canker problem may have the thing it has been sorely lacking: money.

If Gov. Pete Wilson approves, the state Dept. of Forestry and Fire Protection will get \$2.1 million to fight the pine disease.

"It's bizarre that a problem that has bee

"It's bizarre that a problem that has been around since 1986 and has spread from one county to 17 has not had any funding," said Carmel City Forester Gary Kelly.

The money from SB 1712, sponsored by Sen. Bruce McPherson, R-Santa Cruz,

would be spent on research, the propagation of canker-resistant trees, and an effort to stop the transport of infected trees.

Roughly a third of Carmel's pines on public property are infected with pitch canker, according to Kelly. In Pebble Beach, the infection rate is about 25 percent, according to Pebble Beach Forester Paul Dubsky.

"We can't eradicate this disease; we can promote the use of resistant trees," Dubsky

said. "We need money to slow the spread of the disease, do research and inform the public." So far, very little tax money has been spent to fight pitch canker.

The Pebble Beach Co. has spent \$600,000 on research that has borne fruit. It has produced resistant trees and will undertake a cloning experiment in the near future, according to Dubsky.

SB 1712 bill passed the Senate 37-0 in May and is now going through committees.

RANCH

From page IA Valley Road.

Water transfer

Mulholland stated that ranch owner Jim Morgens has a sound plan to transfer water from his neighboring parcel, the so-called Berube farm on Schulte Road, for use on the ranch.

He also elaborated on a "conservative" formula for granting the ranch the right to take ground water in the future. He said the ranch has "historic water use," even though the county has no records to pinpoint exactly how much irrigated agriculture has taken place.

Legally, historic use can be equated with "reasonable" future use, according to county legal counsel Mary Grace Perry.

Although commissioners are withholding comments until Aug. 26, commissioner Robert Hernandez was clearly disturbed by Mulholland's conclusions.

The commissioner expressed disbelief that the presumed irrigation of the past (45 acre-feet) can be applied to cover all but 16 acre-feet of the subdivision's needed water.

"You (addressing Mulholland) don't care about actual historic water use when there is a dire need for water in this area," said Hernandez.

Fran Farina, a former director of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District, questioned the staff's assessment of the ranch's water rights.

"Irrigating 20 acres of pastureland is not the same as providing water to 117 homes 24 houses a day, 365 days a year," she said.

Mulholland countered that the calculations by the county water agency's staff have been supported by state water officials.

Residents of Del Mesa Carmel, immediately west of September Ranch, aired a variety of concerns about the placement of the affordable housing near the entrance to their retirement village.

A procession of speakers from Del Mesa expressed fears about worsened traffic and pedestrian safety, fire hazards, loss of privacy and "light pollution" (electric light from houses.)

Tony Lombardo, the attorney representing September Ranch, argued that concerns about security from the gated retirement community are unfounded.

The people in the affordable housing "would have to climb a 1,000-foot mountain — almost — through poison oak to get to Del Mesa," Lombardo said.

Also, he said the environmental impact report found no significant impacts from noise or light. Finally, he noted that everyone who obtains a county building permit on September Ranch, will pay a \$16,500 "traffic mitigation fee" toward improvements to CV Road.

The planning commission took no action on the application, and continued the public hearing until August 26.

HATTON

From page 1A

This week's decision means that Caltrans will have to rework the freeway EIR to include the cumulative impacts analysis required by the court.

Gary Tate, spokesman for the Hatton Canyon Coalition (which has fought the freeway project for years) believes that Caltrans should not take a "narrow view" of the court ruling and study only the pine, onion and wetlands.

"This document (the EIR) is seven years old, and based upon information that is 10 years old," Tate told The Pine Cone. "If Caltrans refuses to incorporate new information and changed circumstances, we will continue to challenge them." Tate said Caltrans must still fight two major environmental battles: at the Army Corps of Engineers and at the California Coastal Commission, where he says "a broader view of the current environmental impacts will be required."

Claim refuted

Caltrans environmental planners refute Tate's claim that they are using outdated information. They say they have worked for the past year on a 50-page reevaluation of the EIR which addresses the court's concerns.

"The reevaluations have actually been ongoing for years," said Gary Ruggerone, lead environmental planner for Caltrans. "It's a required process to keep all documents up to date. Every three years we go through and do another reevaluation."

Ironically, Caltrans says the "cumulative impacts" studies they have done in the past year show that the freeway will actually harm the environment less than they thought in 1991.

"For instance, the Hickman's onion was found in abundance at Fort Ord and is no longer listed as endangered," said Anciano. "The area of wetlands affected has been reduced and our mitigation plan is already in place," he said, adding that the freeway has also been redesigned to protect more Monterey pine trees.

The lawsuit challenging the original EIR cost about \$200,000, according to Tate, with about \$30,000 of that coming from the Monterey Regional Park District, \$40,000 from the city of Carmel, \$40,000 from the Sierra Club and the rest from the Coalition.

His group plans to ask the District Court

to order Caltrans to reimburse the groups for their fees and costs.

For the complete text of the U.S. District Court ruling on the adequacy of the Hatton Canyon freeway EIR, please turn to page

HAMMOND

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trict Attorney charged Whitaker with possession of less than one ounce of marijuana, a misdemeanor. She will be arraigned before Judge Marla Anderson at the Monterey Courthouse August 12.

Her boyfriend, Robert Kreyenhagen, faces the felony charge of cultivation of marijuana.

Forty-five marijuana plants were found in the back yard of their Lobos Street home when it was raided by sheriff's deputies July 8.

The maximum fine for the misdemeanor charge is \$100, according to deputy district attorney Bob Hatton. However, state and county penalty assessments could increase that amount to as much as \$250.

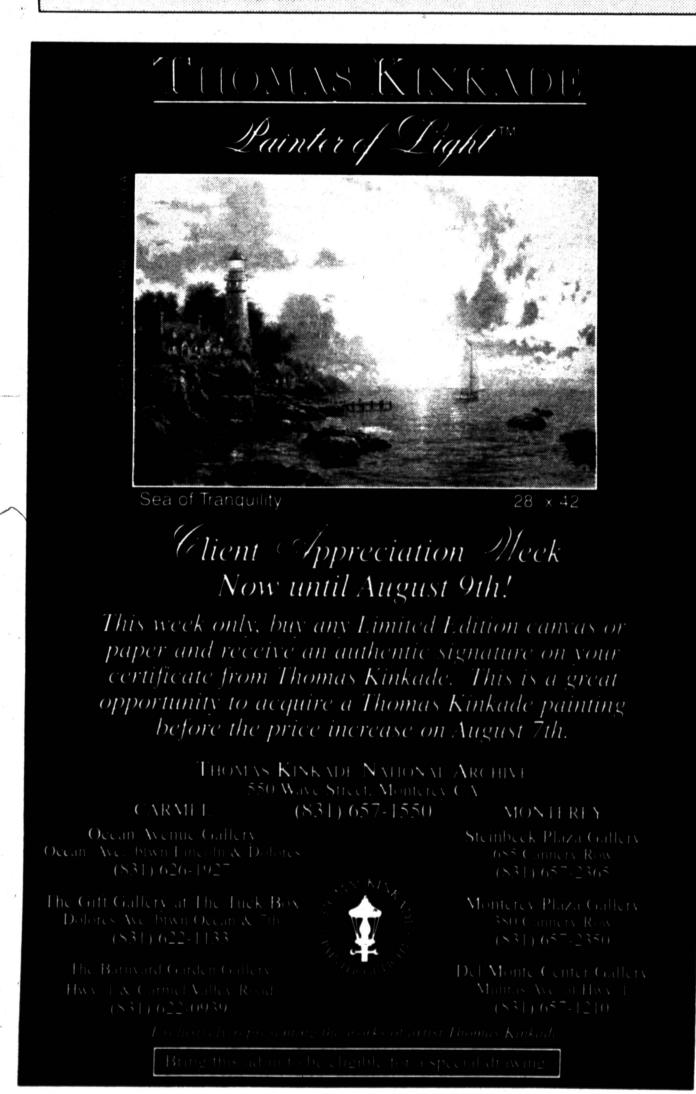
By contrast, Kreyenhagen could face three years in prison, Hatton said. But, as a first-time offender, he may have the option of entering a drug-rehab program, according to Hatton.

Council agreement needed

The nomination of Hammond — made by White in consultation with Councilwoman Barbara Livingston — will be voted on by the full council Tuesday, Aug. 4. The meeting starts at 3:30 p.m. at City Hall.

Two more seats on the planning commission will open in October, when the terms of Janice Fisher and Pope Coleman end. If either of them wishes to step down or is not reappointed, White will nominate new commissioners for council consideration.

Hammond was chosen from among the following applicants for the post: Hubert Bartron (retired Army colonel and property appraiser), Lee Caplin (lawyer, university professor), Joseph Chaffers (real estate broker, contractor), Douglas Lanzaro (mortgage broker), Barbara Smoak (registered nurse), Marie Tripp (retired business owner), Ralph White (builder, retired city planner), and David Maradei (retired Carmel postmaster and former council member).



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Locals strike Hollywood gold Williams, Donoghue win roles in three films

By KIERSTEN McCUTCHAN

IT'S NOT the typical story of two local boys finding fame in Hollywood. They weren't "discovered" sipping malteds at the drug store fountain. Instead they went down and claimed part of the American Dream — being in a blockbuster movie — not once, but three times.

"We've always wanted to be in the movies just like everybody else," said Myles.

restaurant and the Post Ranch resort in Big Sur.

Donoghue

He and Sunset Center Director Brian Donoghue got their chance at the big time when Carmel movie producer Sandi Martin tipped them to some casting calls for Mel Gibson's new movie "Lethal Weapon 4."

Williams, owner of Carmel's ZigZag

Their salary wasn't exactly stratospheric. Extras get paid \$85 per

day, not even enough to cover a decent hotel room and meals.

But they loved it just the same, and friends have already

called Williams saying they've seen the duo in their silver screen debut.

"We got a good heavy dose of Tinseltown," said

Williams. "We got to see everything that goes into the behind-the-scenes glamour," including wardrobe, casting calls, sets, the snap of the slate, lights, cameras and action. The holy grail for the trip was the SAG (Screen Actors

The holy grail for the trip was the SAG (Screen Actors Guild) union card, which allows actors the privilege of attending cattle calls for the rest of their lives.

"What we had to do was to work in three films as extras and then we could get our cards. Sometimes it takes years, but we were lucky. We had an opportunity to do three movies in a row in Los Angeles. We got up at 4:30 a.m. every morning and had to reach our locations by 6."

(The bit-parts in films are very difficult for freelance actors to get, because generally they are snapped up by union actors.)

Donoghue said he couldn't believe they were able to get their cards so fast. "Usually," he said, "it takes years of rejection."

Williams' advice if you want to get cast: "Don't be late!"

Williams and Donoghue arrived on the set of "Lethal

Weapon 4," starring Mel Gibson and Danny Glover, and because they had the "right look," were cast immediately as two businessmen walking down the streets of L.A.'s Chinatown.

"It was our mission to jump out of the way when Danny Glover rode his bicycle by at breakneck speed," Williams said. "We had to do eight takes."

Did Glover use a stunt man? "No way," Williams said, "it was him."

His only major faux pas was when he sat down to chat with the director of the movie. "When I got up to leave I realized I'd been sitting in Mel Gibson's set chair," Williams laughed. "That's taboo for an extra!"

Williams also said he was in a group talking about Post Ranch when someone asked him how long it had been open. Before he could respond he heard a voice say, "I think it's been open for five years."

It was Mel Gibson, Williams said.

Working stiffs

Up again at 4:30 the next morning, they were sent to a seedy bowling alley where "The Big Lebowski" was recently filmed.

Williams and Donoghue were decked out in bowling shoes, bowling shirts and three-holed balls. For the next several hours, they had to bowl in the background while movie star Vivica Fox's scene was filmed in the next lane for a new psycho-thriller called "Idle Hands."

Williams said, "We were bowling all day. And I don't even like to bowl!"

Donoghue's hands got a close-up while he was bowling — for the crucial scene where the heroine uncovers a murderer by recognizing his hands. Williams joked that his partner must have "killer hands."

The third day, both exhausted, they were called to the set of "Susan's Plan," a film by John Landis starring Dan Akroyd.

Donoghue said his job in this film was to purchase a used car while Akroyd acted in the foreground.

Later that night, the two Carmel actors met the Blues Brothers legend who invited them out on the town.

"But," Donoghue lamented, "we were too tired to go."



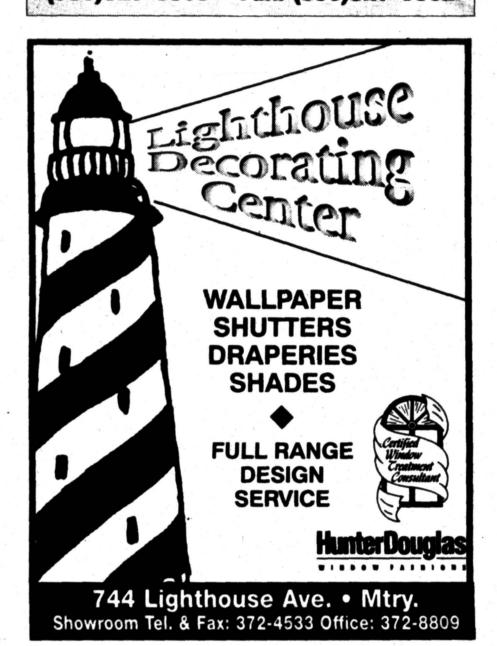
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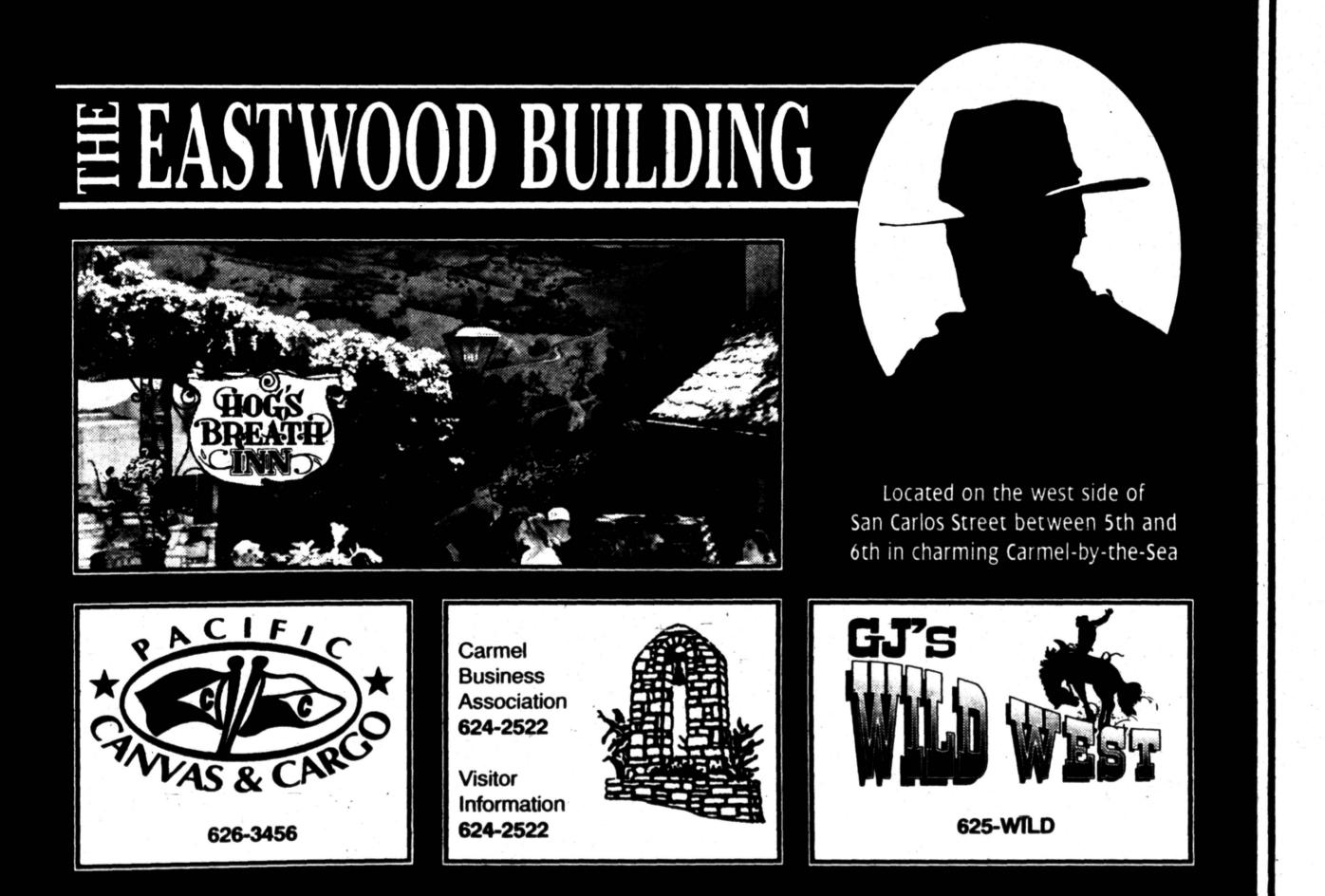
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Carmel students high achievers on much-assailed test

By PAUL WOLF

WHILE EXPRESSING reservations about the controversial statewide academic test, Carmel school officials are pleased that local students scored above average in all subjects and at all grade levels.

"We want a test that actually tests what the state tells us to teach," said Carmel School Board President Annette Yee Steck, noting that there is a bad match between state curriculum and the state-mandated STAR test.

She added, however, "It's nice to know that, with this new test, we will have a track record of how we are doing year to year."

Both Yee Steck and CUSD Superintendent Joe Jaconette favored the district's long-used test published by Monterey-based McGraw-Hill-CTB, which was endorsed by the state school superintendent but rejected by the state school board late last year.

Instead, they favored the Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) exam for reading, math, language, spelling, science and social science, which was given to Carmel students last spring. It was the first time the state's nearly 1,000 school districts all had to take the same test.

The weakest showing for Carmel students (second to 11th grade) was third-

grade spelling (57th percentile). The strongest showing was third-grade math (80th percentile).

Generally, Carmel public schools performed a little better than the Pacific Grove Unified School District (whose worst showing was second-grade spelling at 47 percentile and best was 11th grade social science at 77 percentile) and far better than the Monterey Peninsula Unified School District, in which students performed below average in almost every subject.

But there is more to the controversy of standardized testing than which test is chosen. The issue has been: should students who don't speak English have to take the test at all?

To some school officials in the state, homogeneous districts like Carmel — where virtually every student is proficient in English — may be misleading themselves by attributing their success to superior teaching, according to Sandina Robbins, director of communications for the San Francisco Unified School District.

Last spring, San Francisco was the only district in California to deliberately disobey the state mandate and exempt 5,700 of its 63,500 students from taking the test, Robbins said.

The problem with the English-only test, she said, is that those students who have

trouble with the language suffer in any subject they must tackle. "Lack of English skills infects all your subjects. It's like if you were a math whiz and you had to take

the test in Chinese. You can't do it."

Last month, the California Supreme Court upheld that city's decision to exempt non-English-speaking students.

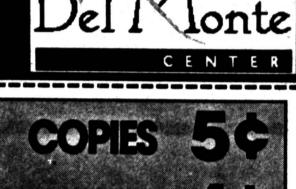


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IT WAS that one really hot day we had a couple of weeks ago. I was rushing, as usual, trying to do my shopping before the sun turned the Del Monte Center parking lot into a convection oven. I'd made a purchase at Mervyn's and was hurrying back to my car. That's when I saw him.

A little guy, blonde hair, maybe four years old. He was in a white van, all alone, with the windows rolled up.

Well, you know how it is. "MYOB," Ann Landers tells us. Mind your own business. Surely, the little fellow's mom had just dashed into the store and would be back in a minute. I knew from experience how annoying it can be to drag a kid into a store, then out again, when you just have one quick errand to do. I walked on past.

But darned if my feet didn't just come to a stop all on their own. What if the mother (or father) took longer than expected? What if the heat generating from the cement grew hotter by the minute? What if this really was a case of serious neglect? How would I feel if I read a headline the next day: "Child cooks in car." I'd seen just such a story only a week earlier.

I turned around and took another look at the boy. He seemed unconcerned, maybe even a little bored. But I really had no choice.

I walked back into Mervyn's and approached the first cashier I saw. Another cashier at the same counter was helping a woman who had a small child in tow. I know I wore a perplexed expression because the clerk looked at me with genuine concern. "May I help you?"

"There's a little boy in a van with the windows rolled up," I half-stammered, "and it's getting very hot out there."

The temperature in Mervyn's dropped by 50 degrees at that moment as the woman with the child turned and gave me a withering glance. "That's my son, and he can roll down the window if he needs to."

Aaarrrgh! I managed a less-than-original retort: "I sure hope so," and with tail between my legs, walked back out to my car. Sure enough, the lad had rolled down his window, but rolled it up again quickly as this "stranger" passed.

Putting my car in gear, I saw the woman come out of the store. Maybe she HAD only been on a brief errand. Or maybe she'd planned to do quite a bit more shopping. I'll never know. While I confess to feeling a bit ridiculous, and maybe even considered a busy-body, I know now that I'd do exactly the same thing if I saw the same situation again.

I hope you would too.

Lucky find

"Do you know how much hub caps cost?!"

It was my daughter on the phone, groaning about the price of replacing TWO hubcaps that had fallen off her old car after someone had carelessly serviced it. I sympathized. A few months after that she bought a new car, a Nissan Altima. I applauded.

It wasn't more than a week later that I spotted a hub cap lying in the weeds on Camino Del Monte in Carmel. I screeched to a (safe) stop, ran back and got it.

"Nissan," it read. It turned out to be a perfect match for the hubcaps on the new Altima. It retails for \$35.80.

Isn't there an old saying that goes, "A hubcap saved is a hubcap earned"? Or am I a bard way ahead of my time?

Soupless Cardinale brandishes new weapon: the ballot

By PAUL WOLF

IF NEXT week's city council review of the Food Uses Ordinance doesn't go the way they want it, the Cardinale family plans to pursue a ballot initiative to allow them to sell soup and sandwiches at their cafe.

"This is a crusade for common sense," said Gasper Cardinale, accusing Carmel of living up to its Scrooge City reputation by forbidding additional menu items at Caffe Cardinale.

"We are a vacation community, but we've taken a vacation from common sense," Cardinale said.

The council meets Tuesday, Aug. 4 at 3:30 at City Hall. Earlier this year, merchants and residents showed up in force to support Caffe Cardinale's attempt to expand its menu and, if necessary, change the 1997 Food Uses Ordinance to shoehorn in their soups and salads.

The ordinance forbids "specialty restaurants" from selling meals — only full-line restaurants can do that.

Formidable undertaking

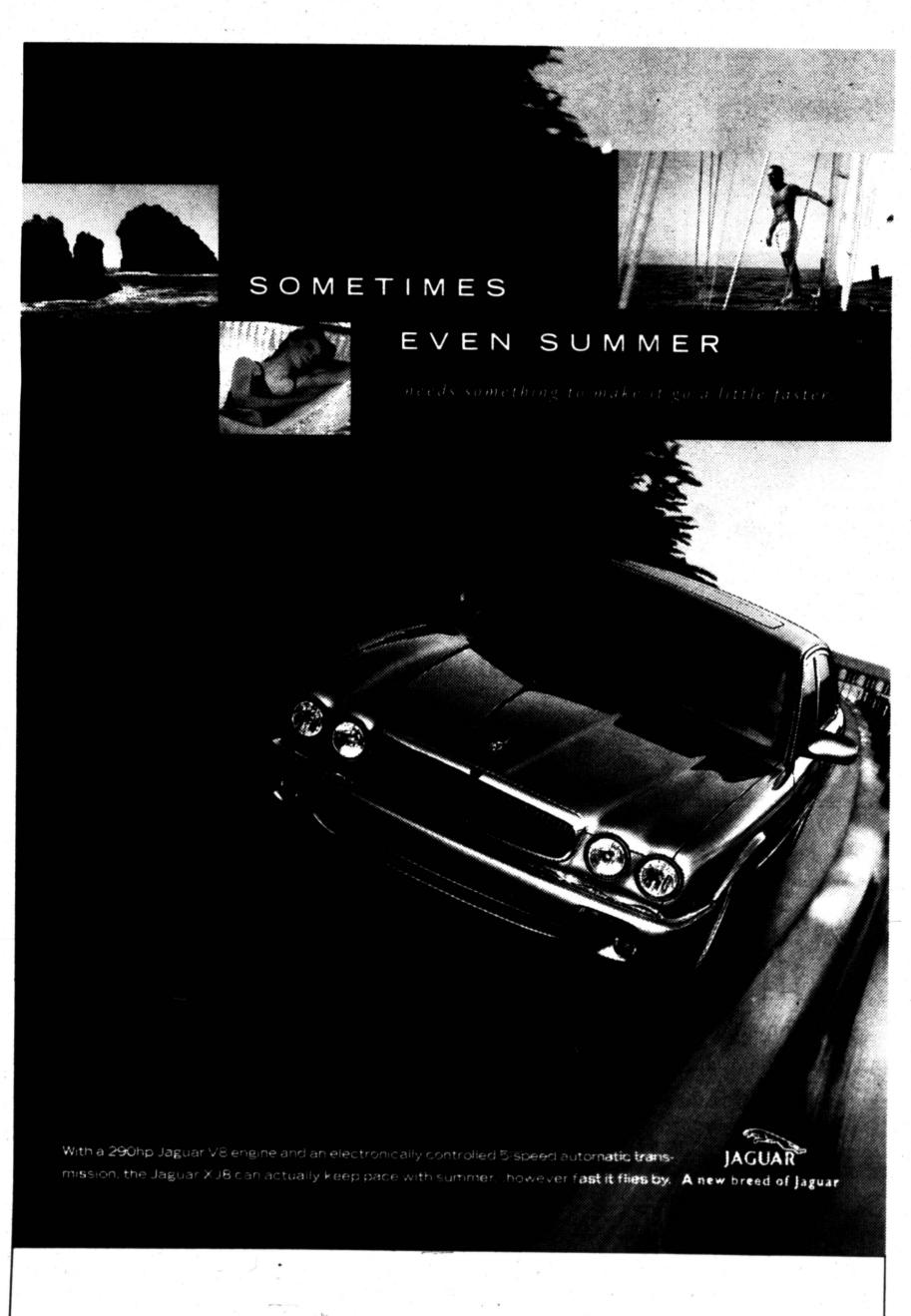
"It's a very formidable undertaking," said Lindsay Hanna, referring to the prospect of an initiative.

Hanna, a former planning commissioner who counts himself as a supporter of Cardinale's cause, added: "We live in a democracy in which you can redress a past wrong at the ballot."

Cardinale has already threatened a lawsuit against the city and has retained Monterey attorney Peter Coniglio to make preparations. He said he has a core group of people waiting in the wings to gather the necessary signatures to place the item on a special election ballot sometime after November's general election.

He likened his family's struggle to serve soup, salad and sandwiches to the legendary ice cream flap of the mid-'80s, which followed the city's denial of an application for a take-out ice cream store downtown. The national press, which inaccurately reported that "Carmel has banned ice cream cones," underscored the town's high degree of regulation and business scrutiny.

The planning commission opposes the menu expansion, contending that it dilutes the word "specialty" in the city's planning and zoning lingo. Commissioners say Carmel's character depends on keeping businesses unique.



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'Go, go little GTO' proclaims Pontiac fan

By KIERSTEN McCUTCHAN

As FAR as car enthusiasts go, muscle car owners are in a class by themselves. During the gas crises, they were the last to be seen on the road because the engines of these cars — built to haul a fast quartermile — guzzle gas at six to eight miles per gallon. Ten years after American manufacturers introduced them, the era of muscle cars ended.

But Carmel's John Morgan Felix, owner

of a 1970 Pontiac GTO Judge, said the dinosaurs are making a comeback. His showboat, a 400 Ram Air IV model — one of the rarest — is so clean it looks like it just rolled off the Detroit assembly line.

The GTO was immortalized by the Beach Boys who lifted the image of the dragster-lover several classes above reckless grease monkey. People wanted power, speed and style — auto mak-

ers gave them the Gran Turismo Omologato (meaning, in English — for what it's worth — "Grand Touring Homologated").

"The thing about the muscle car," Felix said, "is that it's sport all the way. Everyone used to want one. The way they built the body design was to make this car look as sexy as possible. No one cared about handling or gas."

It's a monster

"It's a dragster," Felix said. "It's a monster. Sometimes when I start it up, it's so loud the police come." The muscle car was built in the '60s and '70s to accommodate the demand for giant high performance roadsters that could eat pavement. The handling is like wrestling with an alligator and one mile for Felix costs \$5 he fills the tank with 113octane racing fuel that he buys in Salinas.

"The Judge," Felix said, was the name of a character on the old "Laugh In" TV show (as in "here come de judge"). Felix's GTO is so perfectly restored that "even the interior smells like the '70s." Felix said it took him 20 years to find the GTO he has always wanted.

The car has 4,000 miles on a restored 400 HP engine. He's clocked it at 110 mph and it does zero to 60 in 5.5 seconds. Everything on the car is high performance: the transmission is a four-speed Munci T-Bar Hearstshifter, the tires are Eagle ST's by Goodyear, the dual exhaust has a 3.5 inch Flowmaster muffler and the frame rides on gas shocks. The Ram Air IV design on the hood forces cold air into the intake manifold, Felix said, and "drastically increases your performance," as does the design of the spoiler. The color of The Judge is an original factory color called "Enduro Green" — forest green with gold specks.

Thumbs down to racing

Coming from the dry climate of Texas, the car has never had rust, Felix said, nor has it ever been wrecked. Felix is fanatical about keeping it immaculate. After he takes it out, he comes back and works on it for hours, cleaning spots of grime and oil from every part. He turns thumbs-down any offers to drag race and worries a little about scratching it in a fender-bender, but the



PHOTO/COURTESY JOHN MORGAN FELIX

Parked outside Baja Cantina, "The Judge," owned by John Morgan Felix of Carmel, sits ready to rule on matters of burning rubber.

> admiring stares he gets when he takes it down the road make it impossible to keep it locked in the garage.

> "It's purely a show car," he said. It's so rare and impeccably restored it wins an award almost every time he competes at car shows, like Seaside's Gold Coast Rods where it took first in the overall best muscle car division. What is the cost of this '70s nostalgia piece? The blue book value of "The Judge" is \$33,000, Felix said he's never seen another GTO like his on the road.

Felix, a five-year Carmel resident, re-

members being a kid growing up in San Diego. His neighbor had a GTO almost like the one he owns now, which he

parked in the driveway. Felix said he was

always washing and polishing it — the guy

was the envy of the neighborhood — and a 12-year old boy said to himself, "When I grow up, I'm gonna have a GTO."

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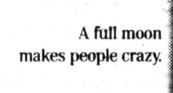
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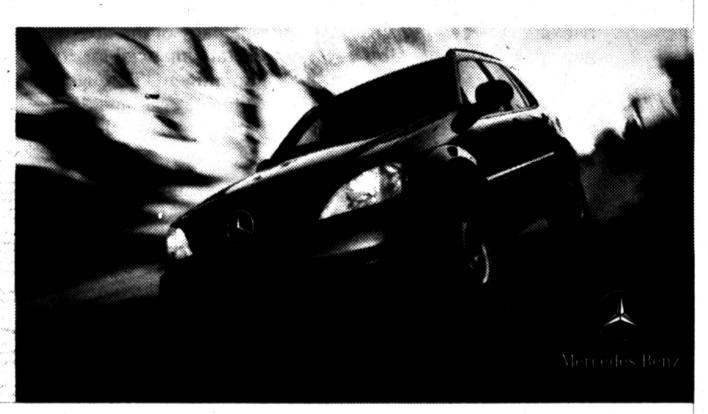


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Carmel Valley festival becomes a labor of 'love apple'

By KIERSTEN McCUTCHAN

THERE IS only one man in Carmel Valley who likes to be bombarded with tomatoes — 206 colorful varieties to be exact — all year round.

But at Gary Ibsen's last TomatoFest, he was bombarded instead by guests who swarmed the display tables and left organizers in despair as TomatoFest '97 ended before it had hardly begun.

Ibsen, who has grown heirloom tomatoes for a quarter-century, said the annual festival evolved from a quiet get-together (the first one seven years ago had 10 guests — all family and friends) into a full-fledged fundraiser covered by national media and gourmet magazines. He's taken steps to make sure this year's TomatoFest returns to its gentler, country roots.

The celebration of Ibsen's "love apple" began as a passion for the juicy, voluptuous fruit.

He has searched for seeds of heirloom tomatoes — those passed down for their unsurpassed flavor — from around the world: Asia, Russia, South America and Europe. This cultural infusion of tomatoes, Ibsen said, is what builds the legacy of TomatoFest and has made it so popular.

Last year, Ibsen said, organizers were prepared for an intimate fete, not a throng of hungry tomato snackers. The event had insufficient "signage" and was short on help. Usually genteel, its 750 guests — 350 more than the year before — quickly plundered the buffet like ants at a picnic.

There actually was more than ample food, Ibsen said. "We ended up having a lot of food left over from the barbecue, which (due to improper signage) people didn't even know about," Ibsen said.

This year, plans for TomatoFest are quite different, Ibsen reported. Changes include Monterey County vintners pouring wine samples, instead of a line for the bar. Expect a tent solely for tomato sampling and another with a "showcase" (for "looks only," Ibsen stressed) of tomato dishes prepared by 50 local chefs. (Never fear, the

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cooks will have more of their "tomato and salmon layered cake with basil sauce," "Tuscan tomato bread salad," "citrus marinated tuna" and "tomato tart with caramelized onion" for tasting.)

"I look forward to this every year because you taste some combinations you would have never dreamed of like tomato desserts, tomato cakes, tomato sorbet, Ibsen said. And he stressed that there will be lots of help and lots of food.

A private affair ended

This year, the era of TomatoFest as a private affair has ended. Ibsen has given it over to the public completely —TomatoFest is now a fundraiser benefiting the Carmel Valley and Carmel Youth Centers and the Children's Garden Project.

Earlier this spring, Ibsen visited area fourth and fifth grade classes to introduce children to home gardening and teach them how to grow their own tomato plants.

"The priority," Ibsen said, "has always been to teach people about different tomatoes." Ibsen has grown 6,000 tomato plants in Carmel Valley this year; their fruits range from pink, yellow, red, orange, rainbowstriped, white to purple.

Each variety will be arranged for TomatoFest guests to finger, ogle and taste. Afterwards, a seed specialist will link your favorite to a small yellow envelope containing seeds to sow an heirloom tomato garden all your own.

Gary Ibsen's Seventh Annual TomatoFest will be held August 30th at Quail

The Golden Years



By Myles Williams

If Russia can honor an arm of the U.S. Navy for its World War II record, why can't our country? That's what veterans of the Navy's Armed Guard ask. About 145,000 sailors served as gun crews on freighters and other ships taking supplies to war theaters. More than 700 ships were sunk, most by submarines, and 1,810 men of the armed Guard were killed. Russia has cited the Armed Guard for heroism in the hazardous effort to deliver supplies to the port of Archangel. Many of the Armed Guard won individual U.S. medals for heroism, but veterans had hoped for a Presidential Unit Citation. That is unlikely because the men served on many ships with differ-ences in the dangers they experienced. A Congres-sional resolution citing the Armed guard has been introduced.

How to help celebrate the 85th birthday of TV's Julia Child? The International Association of Culinary Professionals organized birthday dinners at restaurants throughout the country. Money raised by the events will be used for a culinary scholarship named for Ms. Child.

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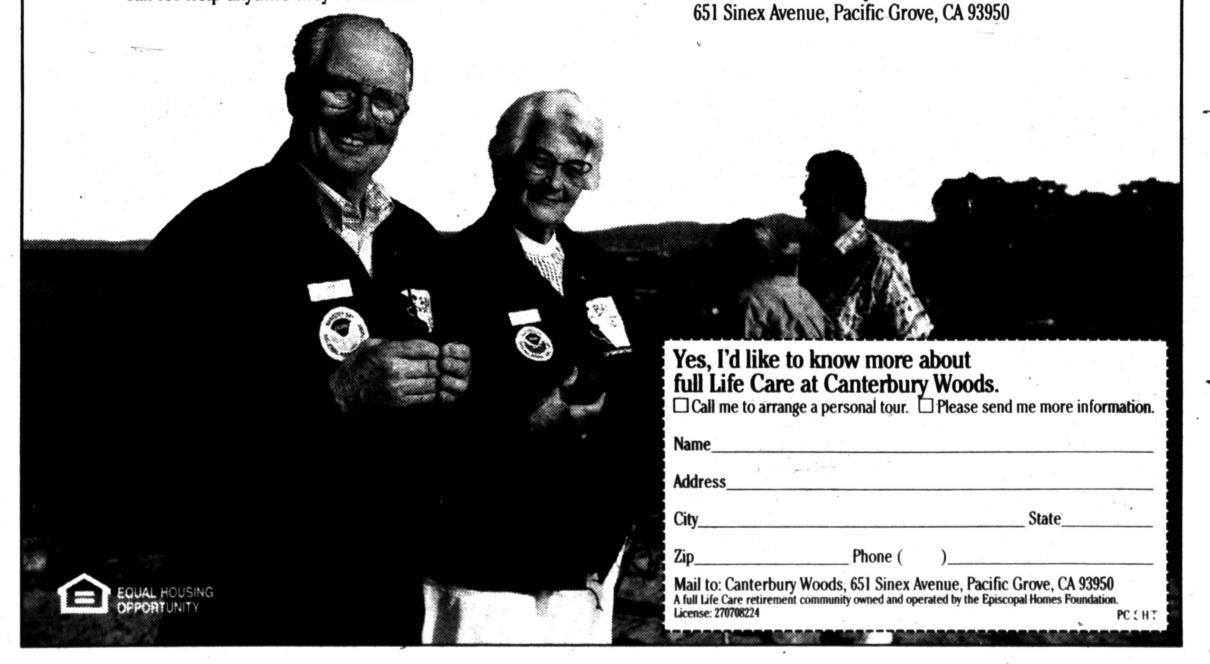
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By TAMARA GRIPPI

IN A REMOTE French town in September 1944, wounded U.S. Army First Lieutenant John Tominac charged through an onslaught of German gunfire, leading

his men to capture the town. For his valor, the 22-year-old officer received the Congressional Medal of Honor.

Mr. Tominac, a longtime Carmel resident, died July 11. He was 76.

He retired as a colonel from the U.S. Army Infantry after 37 years of service and received numerous military awards and medals including The Purple Heart and The Army Commendation Medal.

"He was one of the best," said friend John Shirley, who fought with Mr. Tominac during the battle in France.

"He was careful and conscientious."

In the thick of it

Mr. Tominac was born April 29, 1922 in Conemaugh, PA. He enlisted in the U.S. Army and was first sent to fight in Anzio,

Shirley, who also fought with Mr. Tominac in Italy, remembered how intense the fighting was at Anzio. "We had a full strength company on May 23," Shirley said. "Four days later, John was the only officer left."

For five days, Lieutenant Tominac assumed command of the whole company.

Then on the fateful day — September 22, 1944 — he led the attack on the town of Saulx de Vesoul, France. He charged alone over 50 yards of exposed terrain to smash the enemy outpost, according to the written citation for the medal of honor.

Then one of squadrons, led by the young lieutenant, advanced to the suburbs of the town, defeating a second group of enemy soldiers. When one of the American tanks was hit by enemy fire, a fragment from the shell wounded Mr. Tominac in the shoulder.

As the tank was rolling down the hill toward the enemy, Mr. Tominac jumped onto the burning vehicle and gripped the 50-caliber antiaircraft machine gun, the citation reports.

"Plainly silhouetted against the sky, painfully

wounded, and with the tank burning beneath his feet, he directed bursts of machine gun fire on the roadblock, the SP gun, and the supporting German infantrymen, and forced the enemy to withdraw from his prepared position."

After Lt. Tominac jumped off the tank, Shirley remembered digging the shrapnel out of his friend's shoulder. Even then, the lieutenant continued to lead the attack until the German soldiers surrendered.

"He was scared like the rest of us, but he knew that we had to do our duty and fight," Shirley said.

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On April 22, 1945, Mr. Tominac received the U.S. Congressional Medal of Honor from Lt. General Patch at the ruined Zepplin Stadium in Nuremberg, Germany—ironically the same arena where Adolf Hitler had addressed his throngs of followers.

After the war, Mr. Tominac received his B.A. degree from the University of Southern Mississippi. After his career in the U.S. Army, during which he reached the rank of colonel, Mr. Tominac retired to Carmel.

His family and friends remembered him as a quiet, sincere man who was always ready to put his own safety at risk to help others.

His daughter, Pat Pacia, remembered that during her father's second tour of duty in Fort Benning, Georgia, her whole family was awakened in the middle of the night by a loud crash.

Her father rushed out of their home in his nightclothes to discover that a car was on fire. "With total disregard for his safety, he ran out to the burning car to see if there were people inside," Pacia said.

As a Congressional Medal of Honor recipient, Mr. Tominac and his wife, Bette.

were invited to five presidential inaugurations, including those for Carter, Reagan, Bush and Clinton. Mrs. Tominac remembered when her husband met President Kennedy at a special rose garden party at The White House.

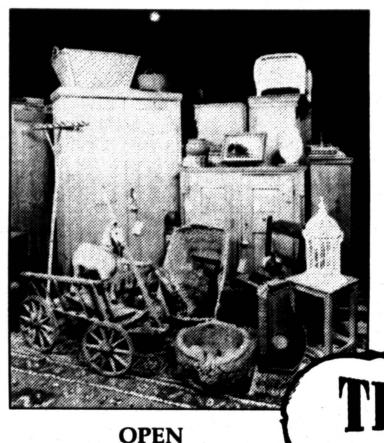
In 1994, The Tominacs and several of their children participated in a 50th anniversary tour of all the European battlefields and sites the 3rd Division had fought in.

"It was a thrill to be able to be on the buses, going over the same terrain," Pacia said. "It was very, very moving. We went down the same road (in France) where he was on the tank."

The other awards received by Mr. Tominac include: The Legion of Merit with Oak Leaf Cluster; The Bronze Star with "V" and Oak Leaf Cluster, The Meritorious Service Medal, The Army Commendation Medal, The Distinguished Unit Citation with Oak Leaf Cluster; The French Forragere and The Combat Infantry Badge.

He is survived by his wife, Bette; four daughters, Janet Tominac of Bothell, WA, Patricia Pacia of Grand Prairie, TX, Pamela McDermott of Newark, DE and Diana Longwell of Willows, CA; a grandchild; four step-grandchildren and three step-great-grandchildren.

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daughter Sylvia said.

Mr. Zoellin enjoyed chatting with his customers, who "came from all different walks of life — from eccentric to elite," his

Robinson Jeffers would walk all the way down from Tor House to buy groceries. "He was very quiet," she said. "We were all in awe of him.

But Jeffers wasn't the only famous Carmelite who was a frequent visitor at the drive in market.

"We always remembered little Sammy

Farr trudging up the steep hill, pulling his little red wagon full of empty bottles redeemable for about a nickel," Mrs. Zoellin said.

Mr. Zoellin was an enthusiastic store owner. "It's a lot more cheerful dealing in apples and ale, in anything from soup to nuts, than it is to deal in dollar bills in a bank," Mr. Zoellin said in a 1958 interview.

In the 1950s and 1960s, Carmel had a friendly neighborhood feeling among the merchants, Mrs. Zoellin explained.

Her husband and four other downtown business owners — who worked just down the street or around the corner — met for coffee in the mornings before work and headed out to the golf course after work.

He was also a part of a group of dozens of fishermen and merchants who played the Del Monte Golf Course, making bets on their game.

Herb Caen, who watched the "rapscallion" crew at play once, referred to the men in his column as "The Forty Thieves."

'Somebody stole my car'

After the Zoellins retired and sold their store, every year the couple took a "getaway" trip to Mexico during February.

Mrs. Zoellin remembered one year that her husband was so anxious to start the trip that he almost lost his car.

After he walked out of a downtown Carmel bank and couldn't find his car, he panicked. "Somebody stole my car," he told Carmel Police officer Eddie Fischer.

"I don't think the car is stolen," Fischer reportedly told Zoellin. "I think you just

forgot where you left it." Fischer then drove him around town until they finally found the car in the post office parking lot.

Mr. Zoellin's children remembered him as a family man who took his sons on fishing trips and taught his daughters to ride horses. At their Carmel Valley home, the Zoellin family kept horses, calves, chickens, ducks and dogs and cats. "You name it," his daughter Sylvia said. "He was very soft-hearted towards animals."

An avid horseback rider, he was a past president of the Carmel Valley Trail and Saddle Club. He was also a charter member of the Rancho Cañada Golf Club.

Mr. Zoellin is survived by his wife of 59 years, Evelyn; two sons, Joseph of Seaside and James of Coeur d' Alene, ID; two daughters, Sylvia of Carmel Valley and Julie Zoellin Cramer of San Diego; brother, Gene of Nevada City; eight grandsons and three great-grandchildren.

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Carmel offers citizen's police academy

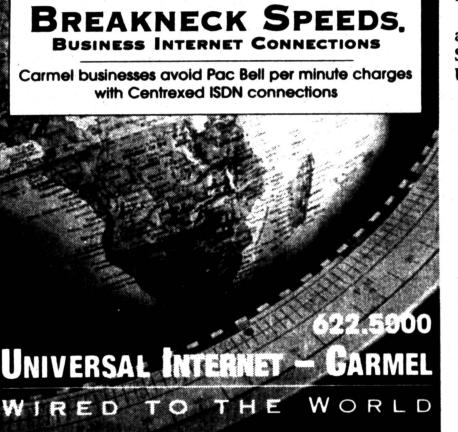
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Resident aims to resurrect youth football in Carmel PLAYERS, SPONSORS NEEDED

By JERRY STEVVART

LAST SUMMER while tossing around the pigskin with his buddy Charles Tope, Carmel resident Frank Perkins, a football fan and former player, had an idea: to bring Pop Warner football back to the kids and turf of Carmel.

Although Pop Warner leagues and teams have existed in other Monterey Peninsula cities for years, Carmel has not had a team for so long that most Carmelites have no recollection of there ever being

But after Perkins' revelation, things could be changing.

Last weekend, coaches Perkins and Tope initiated their drive to re-build a team by holding a sign-up at Carmel Middle School, and sure enough, some kids were interested.

But unfortunately, many of Carmel's youth weren't. That's because soccer, which has become a staple for Carmel kids, holds its season during the football season. Plus, many parents feel that football is too rough.

"Yes, football is a physical sport, but it teaches you to get up and persevere," Perkins said. "Like in football, in life you get knocked down, but you get back up."

So far, eight kids have signed up for the Pee Wee team (9 to 11-year-olds, 70-110 pounds), while seven have enlisted for the midget squad (11 to 13-year-olds, 90-150 pounds).

To field a team in the Pop Warner Monterey Bay League, each team needs a minimum of 22 players, meaning that Tope and Perkins have to hope that at least 15 more kids sign up for each team sometime

The plan has received the full endorsement of Carmel High's athletic department and Padre varsity football coach Dave Stainbrook.

"Carmel used to be a powerhouse, but now the talent is being weeded out," said Perkins. "Now you've got some Carmel kids who go to Palma High in Salinas just to play ball."

According to Perkins, Carmel Youth Football, like Carmel Youth Baseball, would teach kids the fundamentals of the game at an earlier age, and thus would make them better athletes at the prep level.

"Look at the baseball team at CHS," said Perkins. "Their success has been helped by the kids participating in Carmel Youth Baseball."

To try to generate more interest, Tope and Perkins have announced that the \$75 sign-up fee, which goes towards equipment and uniforms, will be refundable if a player decides to quit.

"Kids should come out and give it a try," said Tope. "If they're not satisfied they can get a refund."

Sign-ups will again be held 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, August 1, at Carmel Middle School near the gymnasium parking lot.

Along with the \$75 sign-up fee, prospective players must bring a copy of their birth certificate and live within the Carmel Unified School District.

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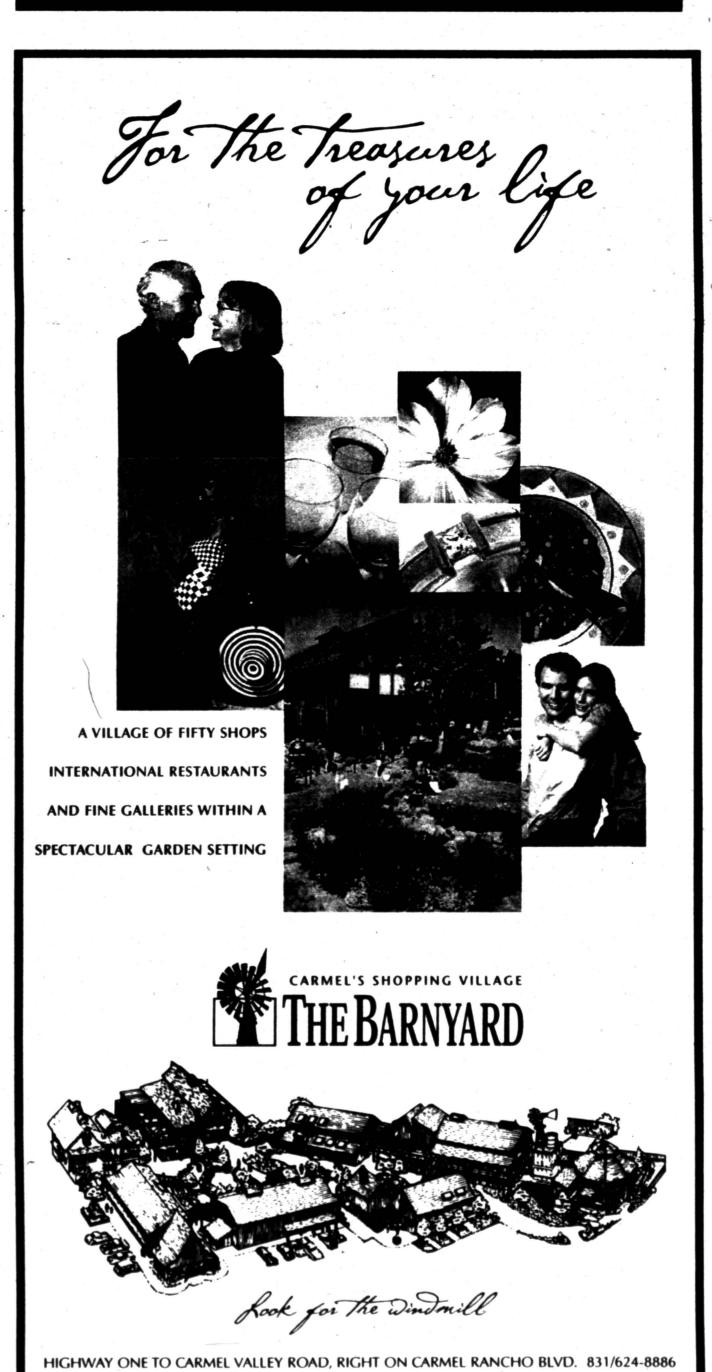
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Editorial

Desperately seeking theaters

THE AUDIENCE sat in stunned silence as the thunderous sound of dozens of powerful explosions washed over them. For most of two hours, they could only wonder at the high-tech cinema trickery that recreated with amazing accuracy the aural experience of being right there on Omaha Beach during the D-Day invasion.

Unfortunately, these people were not watching "Saving Private Ryan." They were stuck in the upstairs auditorium at the State Theater in downtown Monterey trying to watch a different movie — which wasn't easy, considering that they could clearly hear every blast that beset the poor American GIs liberating France in the theater below.

The State Theater is an historic remnant of Monterey's past which surely deserves to be restored to something approaching its former glory.

But it is a pathetic, smelly and annoying place to watch a movie.

We bring this up because Carmel-by-the-Sea doesn't have a movie theater any more. Five years ago there were two — one was replaced by a new commercial and residential building and the other has been turned into the home of the wonderful Pacific Repertory Theatre Company.

Still, residents of Carmel love to go to the movies.

And they, along with everybody else in the Monterey Peninsula, deserve better than some of the grossly inadequate movie houses available hereabouts.

The State, in particular, has decayed to the point of satire, with all the charm of a taxicab floor and the aroma of a high school lockerroom. Mold and mildew counts have risen even faster than ticket

United Artists Theaters has owned the State since the mid-1980s. They walled in the balcony as part of a national mad-rush to build "multiplexes." Over the years, they've made some decent technical improvements to the theater's sound and projection systems. But their neglect of everything else, and the contempt they show for their patrons in the process, is ridiculous.

The State is for sale, with an asking price of around \$3 million. Carmelite Ron Weitzman is president of a group that hopes to buy the building and turn it into a civic showplace, complete with the glamour that it once proudly exuded.

"We'll probably have to spend more on renovations than we will on the purchase," Weitzman says.

Across Alvarado Street from the horrible State Theater is a sign announcing that a new building is going up, including a 700-seat, sixscreen cinema.

That will be a great addition to downtown Monterey — but only for art films and other small releases.

And a large complex is planned for Seaside, reportedly with some big screens suitable for major Hollywood films.

We can only hope that the people responsible for the new theaters will invest enough money to make them comfortable, up-to-date and soundproof.

BATES



"Five minutes in Carmel . . . he thinks he's Rudolph Valentino."

to the Editor

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Renters pay taxes Dear Editor,

Happily, the days of rule by the landed gentry are long gone. Bob O'Neill (Letters, July 24) seems to have slept through a few centuries of progress. That aside, I would ask him who - pray tell - does he think actually PAYS the landlord's property taxes? The tooth fairy? Surely he must know that the landlords of this world are not so altruistic as to absorb taxes and other property-related fees, and a good bet would be that the vast majority of them add their traditional "margin of profit" on top of the actual cost.

Since day one, the renters of this world have made its landlords wealthy. fully paying their own freight, and then some, along the way. It matters not what a person may or may not have by way of (visible to O'Neill) assets. What matters in this discussion are her or his true qualifications to serve and her or his commitment to community. To parody a marvelous old TV late-night skit, "Bob, you ignorant twit!"

Sarah Manning, Monterey

Which offense is worse? Dear Editor,

Having read Section A of the July 24 Pine Cone from cover to back, I've got to say, "Hey! Wait a minute!"

I have no idea what Yoko Whitaker's record is as a member of the Carmel Planning Commission, nor do I care. Let's ignore the fact, as The Pine Cone would like us to do, that Whitaker hasn't yet been convicted of anything. Let's go one step further and pretend that she is ultimately convicted of the charge against her. Let's examine the charge itself

Whitaker is charged with one misdemeanor count of possession of less than one ounce of marijuana. Unlike other misdemeanors, this crime is not punishable by any jail time whatsoever; the

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Local groups pitch in to enlarge CV library

By TAMARA GRIPPI

WITH \$19,000 in donations so far, Carmel Valley Library supporters are hoping to be able to finish their expansion project by this time next year. The plans — to knock out the wall between the library and the empty store space next store, adding 532 feet to the library — will probably run about \$60,000, according to branch manager Chris Mayer.

The new area will house the general nonfiction collection and provide a new public meeting room. Those additions will free up space for a larger children's area.

The Carmel Valley Friends of the Library have been paying the \$600 rent for the new space since last November. Once the renovation is complete, the Friends will split that cost with the county, Mayer said.

"This project really has to come form the community," Mayer said, noting that with recent cutbacks, the county won't be able to foot the bill for the renovations.

"We have a really strong Friends of the Library," she said. "They've made a commitment to see it through.

The library received grants for the expansion from the

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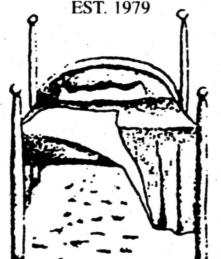
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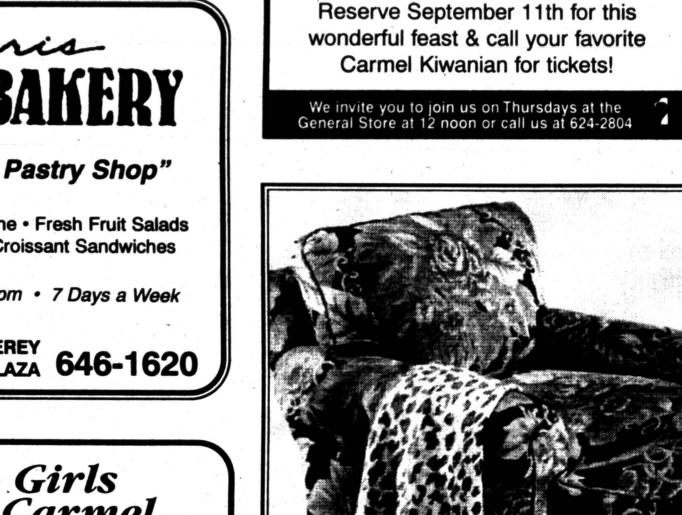
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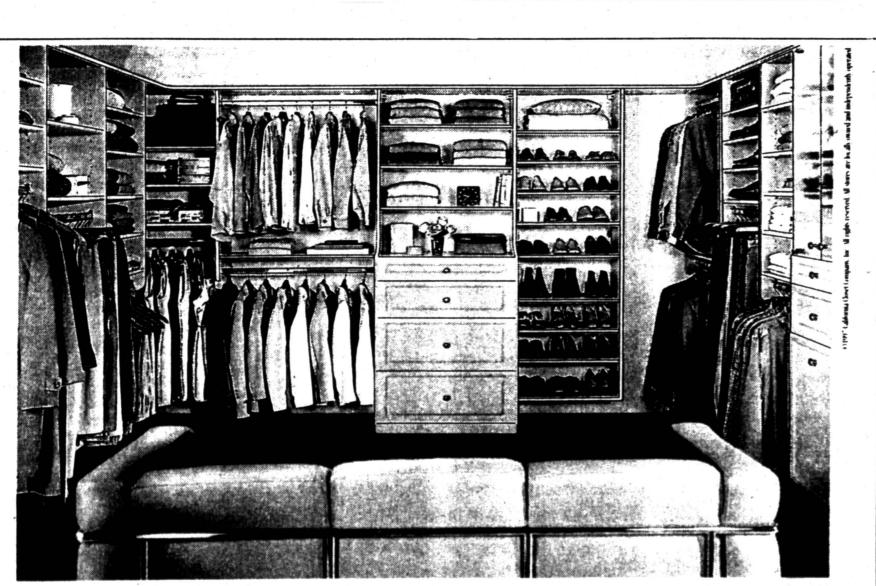
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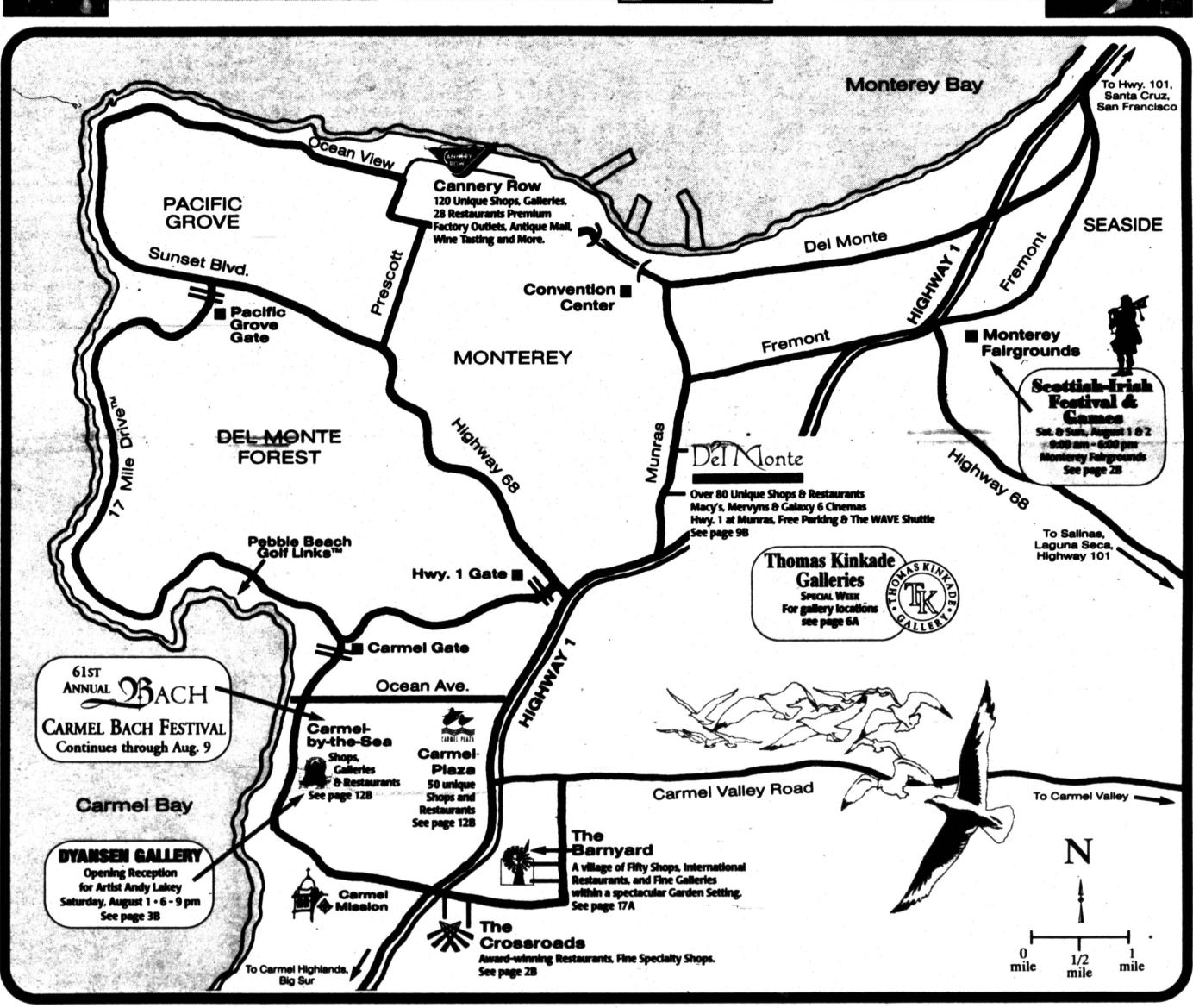
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PET OWNERS who resemble their dogs is a favorite feature of the dog and puppy show during the Carmel Valley Fiesta. An unidentified participant in last year's event poses with his look-alike pup.

Carmel Valley Fiesta features 'Hoopla,' pig roast, much fun

PRESENTED by the Carmel Valley Kiwanis Club, the ninth annual Carmel Valley Fiesta continues on Friday, July 31 with a "Hoopla!" at the C.V Trail and Saddle Club at 6 p.m. followed by a variety of weekend activities.

The roasted wild pig, chicken and tri-tip feed will be served at 7 p.m. A silent auction will benefit the Kiwanis youth projects, and music will be provided by Sidesaddle.

Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$10 for children under 12 and can be purchased at Carmel Valley Market or Will's Fargo

Restaurant in the village. "The price includes everything at the Hoopla!" according to Bruce Michels, chairman.

Weekend parade, dog show

Saturday's events start with an 8 a.m. pancake breakfast at the CV Community Center, followed by a parade on Carmel Valley Road at 10:30 a.m. The Fiesta in CV Community Park will feature entertainment, arts and crafts, children's games, a train and food. An evening Bingo game will take place in the community center from 7 to 10.

Sunday will be devoted to Kids Day in the Park. Age group swim races start at 9 a.m. at the CV Community Pool; a dog and puppy show will be held at Tularcitos School at 10 a.m.; kids games, a train, arts and crafts and food booths are scheduled for 11 a.m., and from noon to 3 p.m. a talent show will take place in the park.

Michels says that raffle drawings will be held every hour at the weekend events, with the grand prize drawing at 4 p.m. for a week in Hawaii for two with airfare. For information call 659-2038.

Carmel Bach Festival in review

'Endimione' supplies surprise; flutist Robin Carlson 'blows us away'

■ "Endimione" will be repeated on July 31st and August 7th. For ticket information, call 624-2046.

By NATHALIE PLOTKIN

WHAT A surprise! Three sopranos, one tenor, a chorus and an orchestra, all under the masterfully informed direction of Bruno Weil, introduced the Friday night Bach Festival audience to an opera which has hardly been heard during the last 200 years. "Endimione" by Johann Christian Bach, like Rip Van Winkle, came back to a

new life in glorious Technicolor and stereophonic sound.

J.C. Bach was the 11th and youngest surviving son of Johann Sebastian Bach. His musical style clearly carried over into that of Mozart and Haydn (or so it sounds) and he can be appreciated as an important precursor of the newly developing Classical era. He

arrived in England in 1762, three years after the death of Handel, and quickly dominated the scene. He made his fame as a composer of symphonies and chamber music and had equal success with operas in Italian.

Sopranos Rosa Lamoreaux, Kendra Colton and Randall Wong and tenor Jörg Hering were the most attractive-sounding and best-looking performers one could possibly desire. The work of the chorus and orchestra was simply outstanding. This is music Weil is in complete sympathy with.

The plot of the opera involved Diana (Lamoreaux), the Goddess of the Hunt, who prohibited romance for herself and her followers; Cupid (Wong), the God of Love who wanted to punish Diana and show her

how wrong she was; Endimione (Hering), a handsome male but an exclusive devotee of the hunt; and Nice (Colton), Diana's attendant, a sweet young thing who had forbidden yearnings for Endimione.

The music is sweetly graceful, endlessly tuneful and has its own sense of familiar logic. When Rosa Lamoreaux sings of love in a shining crystalline voice and effortless sensitive phrasing, the result is one of great pleasure. She truly created a starlike presence.

When Kendra Colton, whose rich, wellfocused tone and great vocal warmth

expressed frustrated hopeless love, she captured our ears and sympathy. Also she has a very vivid downcast pout which was very apparent and very funny.

Jörg Hering sang with ringing stalwart manly stiffness as if to ask, "What is this thing called Love?" But the voice was well-directed and he succumbed gracefully to his

Cupid-induced love for Diana.

Randall Wong in the castrato role of Cupid faced a daunting set of technical and vocal demands. His coloratura was bright and flexible, but the acrobatic range changes were challenging for him.

The Chorale in its all-too-brief participations were like a burst of electricity amidst all the da capo arias. Their lusty, swashbuckling sound and emoting were the icing on a very tasty musical cake.

The orchestra went from strength to strength throughout a long and difficult score. Flutist Robin Carlson, oboist Roger Cole and French horn Glen Swartz were outstanding aria assistants.

Catch "Endimione" if you can. It's well worth the hunt for tickets.

■ "What's so great about Freddie?" will be performed again on July 31st and August 7th.

By LYN BRONSON

ONCE IN a while, everything comes together in a moment of such brilliance that you would like to preserve the moment forever. We hear a lot of recitals on the Monterey Peninsula. Not since Yo-Yo Ma and Emanuel Ax knocked us dead with the two Brahms "Cello Sonatas," or Jorge Bolet piled intensity on intensity in his performance of the Wagner/Liszt "Tannhaüser Overture," have we heard such a satisfying performance as Robin Carlson's in the C.P.E. Bach "Flute Concerto in D Minor."

The occasion was the Friday afternoon Carmel Bach Festival recital at All Saints Church in Carmel. Once we got past the cutesy title, "What's So Great About Freddie?" we found it to be an interesting afternoon recital with host Jesse Read acting as our musical guide. The coy title referred to the extraordinary influence of Frederick the Great on 18th century music as he gathered a dazzling array of musicians and composers to his imperial court. Not the least of these illustrious musicians was C.P.E. Bach, whose reputation in his own time eclipsed that of his father, but subsequently lapsed into semiobscurity.

Intense experience

Right from the first notes of the "Concerto in D Minor" we knew that we were in for an intense experience. As the music takes us in unexpected directions, its twists and turns seemed always in the service of the loftiest musical ideals. The musicians in the ensemble accompanying Ms. Carlson are all professionals, but it didn't seem as though they were just playing another gig. They truly put their hearts into the musical fabric and even though they were only a handful of musicians, we felt as though we were hearing a full orchestra.

But it was Robin Carlson who commanded our attention. She plays so magnificently that she made our spirits soar with her superb mastery of her instrument. Technically, she has it all — musicianship of the highest order, impeccable technique, fine intonation and fantastic breath control.

And her mastery is so complete that you

forget the instrument and are carried away with the music, which is as it should be.

In the *Un poco andante* movement Ms.

Carlson showed us how eloquently and elegantly she can shape a phrase and embellish a melodic line. In the Sturm und Drang final movement she once again treated us to dazzling feats of virtuosity, all tossed off with effortless grace.



Carlson

The other high point of the afternoon was several selections from J.S. Bach's "The Musical Offering" featuring violinists Catherine Emes and Lenore Anop, violist Nancy Lochner, cellist Jennifer Morsches, bassoonist Jesse Read and oboists Roger Cole and Ellen Sherman. The excellent ensemble, playing beautifully, revealed the fascinating complexity of these richly crafted works.

Earlier on the program we heard two works by Johann Janitsch and Christoph Schaffrath. These were pleasant works entirely suitable as background music at a formal dinner, perhaps so dinner guests could engage in indiscreet conversations without being overheard. However, C.P.E. Bach as heard on this occasion was a different matter. If I may quote the evercharming Mr. Read, "C.P.E. Bach grabs you by the throat, slams you up against the wall and relieves you of your wallet."

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Carmel Bach Festival in review

Magic pervades Carmel Mission concert

■ "Mission Concert — Music of Bach Dynasty," will be repeated on August 5th and August 9th. For ticket information, call 624-2046.

By DAVID MILLER

FIRST, the atmosphere. It's difficult to describe to someone who wasn't there, but the effect of plainsong in the candle-lit Carmel Mission Basilica is quite magical, especially at the end of the concert, when the singers walk off while chanting. (July 22 the electric lights came on too soon, breaking the atmosphere and launching the audience into the first and last round of applause of the evening. It would be better to wait another few seconds.) The opening processional, also to a plainsong accompaniment, was very tastefully done. These were every bit as important as the content of the concert itself, a selection of devotional pieces for singers and small orchestra by hard-working, self-effacing men who all happen to be named Bach.

With the exception of the motet, "Ich lasse dich nicht," about which more later, none of these works is a stunning masterpiece, even those by J. S. Bach — having been chosen to stress his similarity to his composing relatives. Bach's sons were not represented, for the simple reason that Bach's sons often have little stylistic similarity to their father, since they were around for classicism and the beginning of modern music. These were the sounds of the Bach musical dynasty, and the sounds were enchanting.

This concert was also our chance to hear the excellent choirmaster, Bruce Lamott, in action, and he is a very good musician, choosing tempos that take into account the rather more resonant acoustics of the church than would be the case at Sunset Center, but not letting things drag. He also was at pains to bring out orchestral and choral detail at telling moments, always tricky in fugues, without niggling.

As the sun went down, the church darkened, and I had to give up reading the program to see what was coming next. They started to sing a German motet on Jacob's plea to the angel, "Ich lasse dich nicht, du segnest mich denn." I couldn't remember if it was by J. S. or some other Bach, but the piece is so inspired, and so exciting, that I thought it must be the work of the man who is the reason we are all here. The program says it's by Johann Christoph Bach, but I have my doubts, and later reading of the program notes

shows that I'm not the only one.

But the program notes also demonstrate that Bach himself didn't always care about getting or giving personal credit for compositions. This concert was not about personal glory, but rather composers, conductor, singers, orchestra and all the rest of the festival people working together to bring us a moment of musical devotion and a glimpse of the powerful Bach family talent, working its way up to Johann Sebastian.



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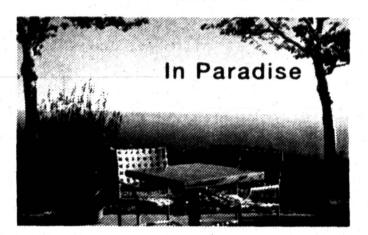
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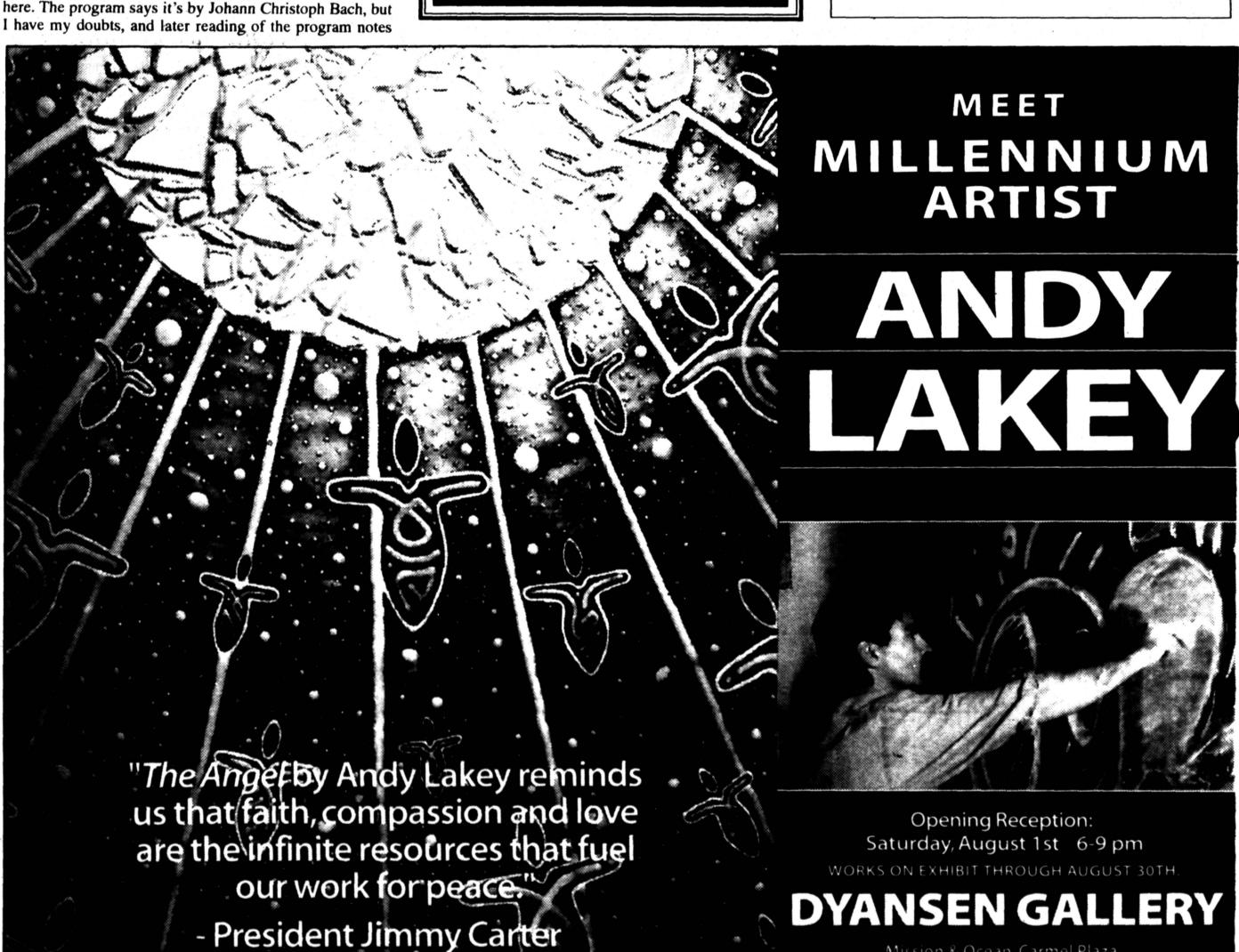
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A \$75 black tie dinner and auction fund-raiser, "A Feast for Art," which is open to the public, is scheduled for 6 p.m. Friday, August 7; and a museum curator, a conservator and a family member will lecture on three separate occasions on August 13, 20 and 24.

All events will take place at the Carmel Art Association galleries on Dolores Street between Fifth and Sixth. Reservations are required for the dinner and auction which is limited to 100 people. Call 624-6176 to reserve space and for information.



■ PERCY AND LEONE GRAY in the garden gateway of their Monterey Sherman Rose house — also known as Casa Bonifacio - in the 1930s.

►GRAY, here shown doing what he loved best - painting watercolors on the Monterey coast. Photo circa 1935 from the collection of Paul M. Hertzmann, Inc.



Christina Williams benefit rescheduled

THE CHRISTINA Marie Williams benefit that was to have taken place last weekend, has been rescheduled for 7:30 p.m., Saturday, August 1 at Pacific Grove Middle School auditorium, 835 Forest Ave., Pacific Grove.

Because the benefit conflicted with the P.G. Feast of Lanterns and other events, it has been moved to the quieter weekend.

The Starlights, an international recording gospel group, will appear as headliners in the concert which will feature other singing groups.

The concert is a benefit for the young Marina girl who has been missing since June 12. All proceeds will go to the Christina Marie Williams trust fund. Tickets are \$20 at the Thunderbird Bookstore, Carmel, and Bookmark and Bookworks in P.G., or \$25 at the door. Tickets for children 6 to 10 are \$10. For information, call 899-3950.



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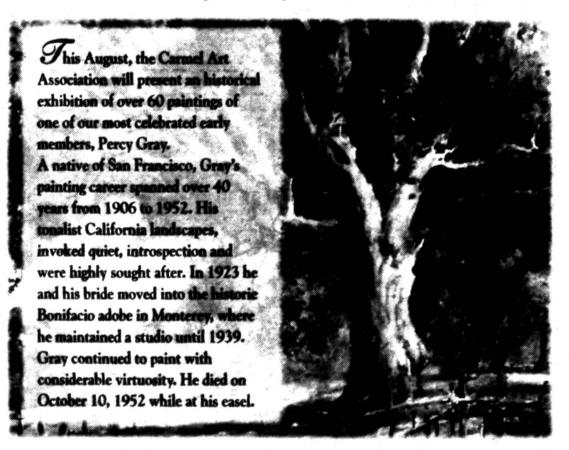
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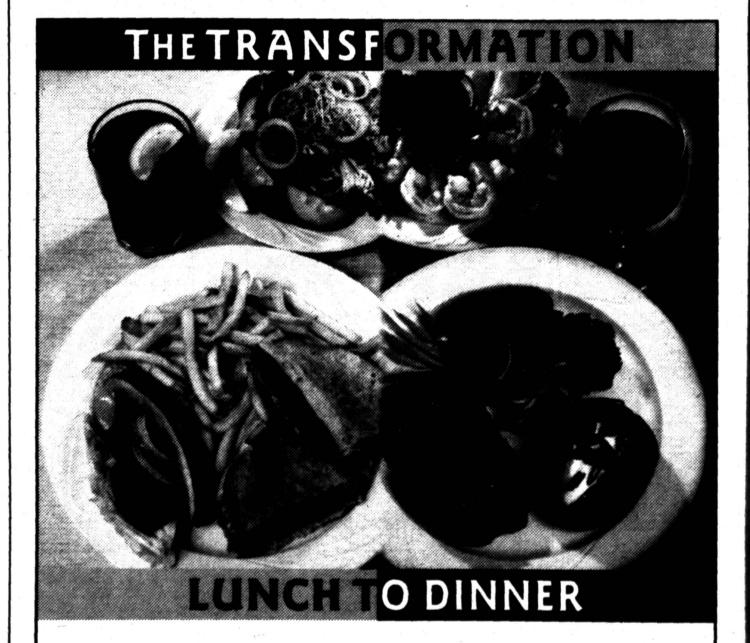


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THE CITY of Carmel Recreation Department continues its ParkFest concert series Friday, July 31 with the appearance of local blues band Red Beans & Rice at Devendorf Park. Music starts at noon and lasts until 1:30 p.m. The concert is free and open to all. The following Friday (same time, same place) Kerry Hartjen will perform as Ravioli the Clown.



Plugged In

By Stephen L. Vagnini

This Sunday the City's Rec Department presents the Monterey String Quartet at the Forest Theater Sunday in the Park Series. MSQ was formed in 1983 by leader and first violinist David Dally. And on Sunday, August 9 the Alan Berman Trio performs jazz standards, featuring the works of Irving Berlin, Rogers & Hart, Cole Porter, Duke Ellington et al. Sunday concerts are

free and start at 2 p.m.

Blues in Seaside

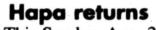
The Sunday Blues and Art in the Park Series continues this weekend with the appearance of Archibald & Internationals. A swinging blues outfit out of San Francisco, the Internationals are on the rise. Featuring harmonica ace and dynamic frontman Red Archibald, the group recently performed at the House of Blues in Los Angeles and were joined on stage by Jim Belushi. Music starts at 1 p.m. Get their early . . . the lawn has been filling up fast. The following Sunday check out San Jose guitarist Chris Cain. Bob and the Blue Buzzards kicks off the gig at 1 p.m. sharp.

Portofino Presents

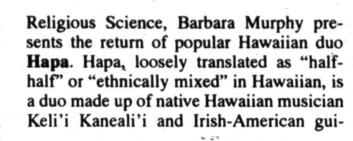
Barbara Murphy of Portofino Presents has a busy month in store beginning Saturday, Aug. 1 with two shows; one at the Pacific Grove Art Center... the other a few blocks down Lighthouse Avenue at The Media Room. Performing at 8 p.m. at the Pacific Grove Art Center is Aire y Sol in an evening of flamenco dance and guitar. Performers scheduled to appear include dancer Alicia Moren a-di Palma, singer Maria "Loli" Martin, and guitarist Ruben Martin. Advance tickets are \$10 or \$12 at the door.

At The Media Room Saturday, Aug. 1, quirky singer/songwriter David Beaudry launches the Summer Concert Series with a concert at 7:30 p.m. A resident of Santa Cruz, Beaudry has penned some irresistible gems including the hilarious "Duck Hunting With an Uzzi." His debut CD, "Alien Man," was recorded in Nashville and Saturday's session will be recorded for possible use in his upcoming album. Call Portofino Presents at 373-7379 for tickets and/or reservations. Other upcoming shows

at The Media Room include bassist Michael Manring on August 8; folk singer Carolyn Hester on 8/15; jazz musicians Ali Reyerson and Joe Beck 8/21 and 8/22; and folk legend Ramblin' Jack Elliot on 9/12.



This Sunday, Aug. 2 at Carleton Hall in the Monterey Church of



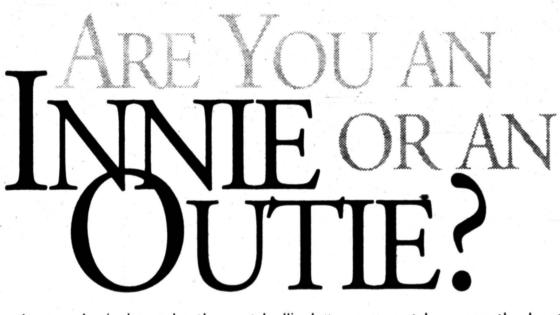
tarist Barry Flanagan. Says Flanagan, "It's Braveheart meets Don Ho."

Tickets are \$18.50 in advance or \$20 at the door. Tickets are available at Do Re Mi Music in Monterey and Carmel or Bookmark in P.G. Call 373-7379.





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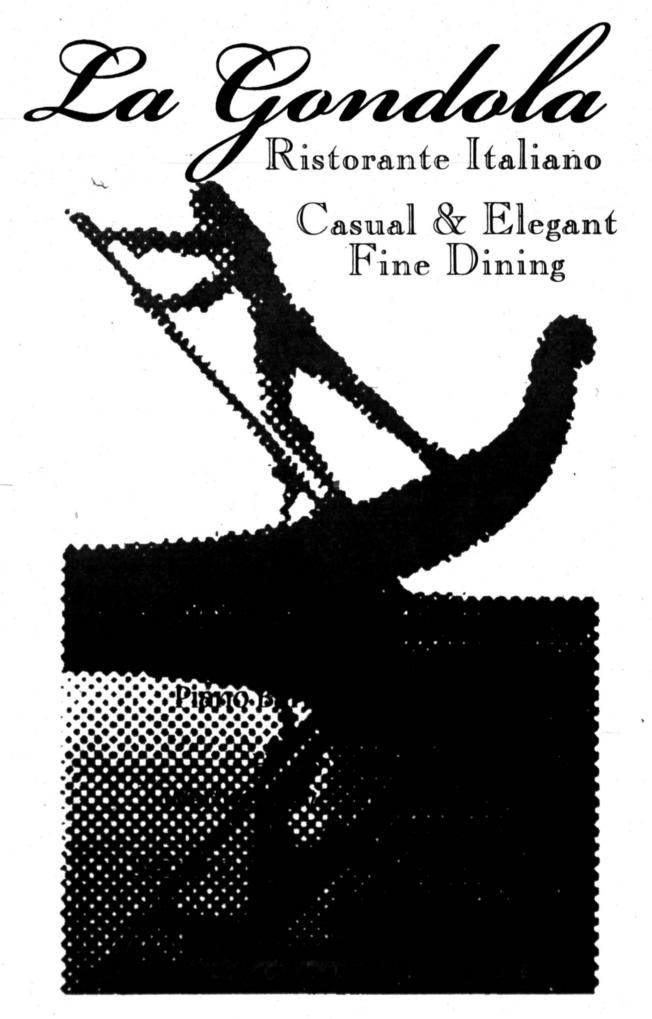
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Behind Carmel Mission — from bucolic to pure frolic

AT THE end of a busy day, there are two places that we like to be, glass in hand ... sitting in front of our own fireplace, or on the spectacular rear patio of the Mission Ranch Restaurant. The scenery at the Ranch, of course, is quite different: Sheep

graze in a dreamy pastoral scene borrowed from a Constable English landscape. To add to the decelerating atmosphere are the fingers of fog, which come in to flirt with the brilliant green hummocks of meadow grass and the eastward view of the Fish

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Ranch.

Advance the clock a few hours and the Ranch undergoes a transformation from bucolic to pure frolic. Indoors, the piano bar heats up, singer "wanna-be's" or "weres," are added to the ephemeral expectation that Mr. E. may sit in for a few measures of mellow jazz. Definitely an "in" place!

Manager Craig Ling's greeting desk is friendly and efficient. Few folks speak about the quality of the food, however, and that's a mistake. Low-profile chef David Frappeia runs a tight kitchen and the results are outstanding. The bar menu (indoors and out) boasts a great char-broiled burger and the side of ranch fries is satisfying. For munchies, I like the quesadilla with its fine salsa fresca. When we're swirling wine glasses with visitors, we often order the almond-coated goat cheese, sided by strips of chewy sundried tomatoes, fresh watercress and Carr's crackers.

Now, let's go to the rear dining room where a third of the restaurant's 90 seats share the mesmerizing view. Warm garlic bread comes to the table along with a relish dish. I haven't seen one in eons. What a treat! Among the appetizers are a "Jumbo Shrimp Cocktail" with the four pink beauties measuring in at a curled seven inches each. My option for the fresh Willapa Bay oysters was an inspired choice. Because I'm not familiar with this particular Puget Sound product, I was delighted with the size and creamy texture of the shellfish

which arrived icy cold with a classic tomato horseradish sauce. We sampled the excellent soup du jour - potato-leek -

then dove into the ample entrées.

The special was a Corvina sea bass fillet (apologies to the Chilean fishing industry, but our California bass are better), atop grilled slaw, partnered with small red potatoes.

It was a photo finish for the fish dishes, because my swordfish was tender and juicy and generously sloshed with a

By Lotte Mendelsohn brilliantly seasoned, sautéed tomato/caper/-

Traveling

Gourmet

leek sauce. I asked for the happy substitution of scalloped potatoes which made beautiful music with the garlic and Parmesan-kissed wax beans. Spouse Mr. M. attacked the Ranch cut

(with bone) Prime Rib and did all but chew on the bone like a hungry puppy. A word about its partners: Prominent on the plate were a twice-baked potato and a little pot of horseradish, freshly grated and pungent. We were impressed when our waitperson Karen (of the elusive British accent) spoke of the fumes when the kitchen does the prep of this traditional condiment.

Wine lists are an interesting gauge for the clientele of an eatery. The Mission Ranch Restaurant declares for California; the only imported bottle is the special occasion Dom Perignon '90 at \$150. The low price end of the list offers a '94 Mirassou Gamay Beaujolais at \$15, and in between are a page of Chardonnays and another of "Cabs" all the way up to a '93 Beringer

See GOURMET page 10B

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THE NEW YORK TIMES MAGAZINE CROSSWORD PUZZLE

TO COIN A PHRASE

BY HENRY HOOK / EDITED BY WILL SHORTZ 111 "Tobacco Road"

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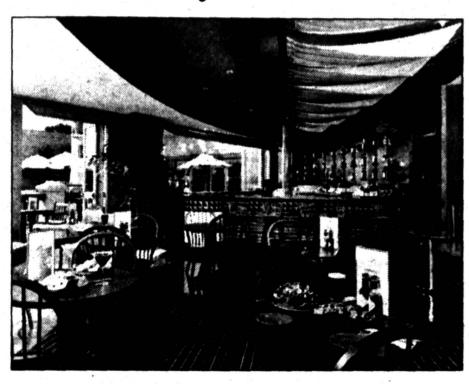
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Restaurant Row at the **Monterey Plaza Hotel**



Schooners Bistro on the Bay

he hallmark of a truly vibrant restaurant is the ability to offer something unique. SCHOONERS BISTRO ON THE BAY manages to do just that, spicing up the week with two new specialty nights.

Schooners starts out smooth with Martini Monday. Guests can enjoy specialty martinis such as the Very Berry, with Absolut Kurrant, Triple Sec and cranberry juice--served in a sugar-rimmed glass with a black currant flavored cherry. Delicious!

Also delicious are the Chef's complimentary hors d'oeuvres. Wood oven pizzas topped with prawns, vegetables, and plenty of cheese are currently featured on Mondays, and other fresh specials can also find their way to Schooners tables.

For those who can't wait until Friday to celebrate the end of the work week, Schooners features Smokin' Thursday. Guests may enjoy specially-priced cigars and single malt Scotch on the patio--

and watch the week's worries go up in smoke! Special hors d'oeuvres are also offered free of charge; the Schooners Chef is currently offering mouthwatering Angus New York skewers with bourbon sauce.

Weekends still bring live jazz at Schooners, with local favorites Euphoria, Chi Mizu, and Real Time playing right out on the patio. What better way to wind down after a long week?

Experience the freshness and fun of one of the most vibrant restaurants in the Monterey Bay area: Come out to Schooners Bistro on the Bay and enjoy great food and drink specials on Martini Monday, Smokin' Thursday, or any time you want a dose of gorgeous bay views and friendly service.

Specials run Monday and Thursday 5pm-10pm. Please call for current information Schooners Bistro on the Bay, 400 Cannery Row, Monterey. **372-BOAT**



Duck Club Restaurant

he AAA Four Diamond Award-winning DUCK CLUB RESTAURANT offers excellent American cuisine and fabulous views of Monterey Bay. Chef James Waller's menu changes daily; choose from an enticing selection of seafood, as well as wood-roasted specialties such as duck, beef and lamb. Bob Salessi, the Plaza's Food & Beverage Manager, has carefully constructed an extensive wine list which features a wide range of California and Monterey Co. wines, and all are complementary to the Duck Club's American Grill cuisine. The service at the Duck Club is the final touch that separates great restaurants from the many good ones in

Monterey. Knowledgeable servers are ready to assist diners in every way, whether it involves selecting wine, providing information on menu items, or expertly anticipating a guest's needs before the request is even made. The Duck Club is an ideal place to sit back and enjoy great food and great service in an ocean view setting! Open for breakfast from 6:30 a.m. - 11 a.m. Mon. through Fri., and from 6:30 a.m. - noon on Sat. and Sun. It is open for dinner from 5:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. daily.

The Duck Club Restaurant is located in the Monterey Plaza Hotel, 400 Cannery Row, Monterey. Call 646-1706.

PI'S BISTRO A Treasure to be Discovered

A COZY LUNCH SPOT near the Monterey Bay Aquarium, just a few steps from the waterfront, can be found in the American Tin Cannery — PJ's Bistro — a delightful eatery with beautifully painted interior and sunny patio that beckons invitingly to

passersby. If you're a local with a short lunch break, or a visitor with time to relax while girding up for more sightseeing, PJ's is the Monterey eatery for you.

Restaurateur Peter Curatolo and manager Andrea Harrison have fashioned a menu that combines authentic Italian and tempting California cuisine in a menu that utilizes the very best of ingredients — with fresh herbs from Peter's own garden.

New and tempting specials are offered each week, such as the classic Italian appetizer of fresh buffalo mozzarella, Roma tomatoes and basil drizzled with the finest virgin olive oil and balsamic vinegar; or a mouth-watering fettucini made of sun dried tomatoes and tossed with a chicken breast that has been grilled with rosemary and blended into a creamy Alfredo sauce.

If our sometimes overcast

summer days make you yearn for a comforting warm soup, try their Boston Clam Chowder (it may be the best you've ever tasted) or perhaps an Italian tomato soup redolent with ripe tomatoes and Peter's garden basil.

PJ's popular sandwiches are unique and wonderfully tasty, and their salads are satisfying meals in themselves - such as their Carmel Valley greens with apples, pears, walnuts and gorgonzola tossed in a pear-walnut vinaigrette.

A wide variety of homebaked pastries and gourmet coffees, smoothies, milkshakes and ice creams round out the menu.

Don't miss PJ's Sunday brunch buffet, featuring the choicest meats and cheeses, quiches, fresh fruit, select breads, waffles and pastries.

Their speedy, smiling staff will go the extra mile for you to make your breakfast or lunch an experience you will long remember with pleasure.

125 Ocean View Blvd. 375-4140 Open 7 days for breakfast and lunch, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

August on the Row Art in the Cannery Row Tradition

annery Row, Monterey -- Summer is in full swing on the old Row, and so is "Art in the Cannery Row Tradition" -- at Cannery Row's Artist Colony in the second floor of the oceanside Monterey Canning Company building at 700 Cannery Row.

the Row.

From sculpture to art in almost every conceivable medium, Cannery Row's "Artist Colony" has something special for every art interest--and well worth a trip up the stairs or elevator to the second floor of the Monterey Canning



Photo IDs (left to right) The Cannery Row Artist Colony: Gilbert Jullian, Kathy Barrett, Frank Sunseri, Rochelle Mort, John Thompson and Kevin Cromartie. Barry Roscoe not shown.

Working artists get credit for being among the first Cannery Row entrepreneurs in the bleak, gray days after the sardines vanished when almost useless, time-worn canneries and warehouses offered working artists a chance to create their art in their own galleries. Although decades have passed since the first artists settled into Cannery Row, that tradition lives on today upstairs in the Monterey Canning Company at 700 Cannery Row.

The "Cannery Row Renaissance" is now well underway, with major galleries like the Thomas Kinkade Galleries and Robert Lyn Nelson Studios occupying prime space in newer buildings. But before the Row emerged to become Monterey's "Restaurant Row" and most important visitor destination, working artists had toiled quietly for years, perfecting their art and presenting it to visitors and locals from their studios on

Company's ocean-side build-

Studios of working artists include: Gilbert Jullian's FTS Artworks, the John O. Thompson Gallery, Frank Sunseri Sculpture, Kevin Cromartie's Cromartie Designs, Kathy Barrett, the Rochelle Mort Studio, and Let It Bead's Barry Roscoe.

So when you're walking the Row, or enjoying the free entertainment at Steinbeck Plaza, remember to enjoy one of Cannery Row's enduring traditions: the "Artist Colony in the Cannery Row Tradition" in the Monterey Canning Company, adjacent to Steinbeck Plaza's sweeping views of Monterey Bay.

And now that summer has officially arrived, remember there's always something happening on Cannery Row. Come down and enjoy all that "America's Most Famous Street" has to offer.

-- Michael K. Hemp

Entertainment on the Row

Dining

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Family Fun **CANNERY ROW** ANTIQUE MALL

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Family Fun

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New Faces on America's Most Famous Street

Cannery Row's newest shops Canning Company at 700 Cannery include Sculptures by the Sea, a fine sculpture and ceramics gallery in the Recreational Trail level of the Steinbeck Plaza One building. Owners Bob and Cathy Gomes bring a new level of sculpture and fine gift art to the Row.

Another new shop, Sock Shop Cannery Row, is located at 649 Cannery Row, in the historic Chinese Marina Apartments building, also known as the "Bear Flag Build-ing." Owner Becky Flanum is another convert from Carmel, with shops now in both visitor destinations. Her unique specialty store features everything you can imagine for vour feet!

Simply Monterey in Steinbeck Plaza One's street shopfronts offers, as its name boasts, everything with a Monterey theme in clothing, accessories and gifts. Owner Joe Abuzaid adds it to his other Cannery Row shop, Alamo Flags, in the Monterey

Boyz Toyz, on the Recreational Trail level of Steinbeck Plaza One, is a dream shop for boys big and small, with toys ranging from collectibles to hot new playthings for the boy in every man. Stan Craig has masterminded the unbelievable array of specialty transportation theme toys in one of Cannery Row's most unique and entertaining shops.

Hardly a newcomer to "Restaurant Row," a completely renovated Sly McFly's-a long time hot spot in the sea-side Monterey Canning Company building at 700 Cannery Row & Prescott-has new management and a penchant for great musical entertainment for its customers. Jazz up a visit to Cannery Row with a food and beverage stop at Sly's and say hello to the Jack Burnam, the man in charge of Sly's new look and

Pebble Beach provides glorious setting for YWCA benefit brunch



People and Places By Sissi Maleki

women!

"Women should help women." Before I tell you further what really counts here, forgive my incorrigible tendency to look for humor and let friend float away, I thought, Yup, women should help

me give you an extreme example of this week's quote: My best friend's not into makeup. Nor into beauty creams. Nor into face lifts. But she's 49. And when she was at Albertson's this past weekend getting some wine —st got CARDED by the checkout cle !! And guess what? The clerk wis a woman. As I watched my

■ Women Helping Women

I hate to let the secret out, but honest to God, the YWCA benefit brunch on July 26 at Pebble Beach's Equestrian Center was the best deal in town. At \$30 a plate, guests enjoyed a scrumptious luncheon courtesy of so many wonderful local businesses . . . PortaBella & Toots Lagoon to name just a couple. The setting was glorious, too — the best seats to watch the P.B. Equestrian Classics' Sixth Annual Jumping Derby while board members and volunteers Gail Cirata, Holly Hatton and Peggy Hoff (among many others) toiled away. Margaret

Robbins, YWCA board member and "roll-up-the-sleevesmilitary-general" type, seemed to have everything operating like clockwork. I even snapped to attention and saluted her with a "Yessir!" when she commanded me to mention certain special people in my column! (My mother could've told her I don't follow through with orders very well.) So I'll start with my choice (!!), the Gallo table/tribe: **Bob** and Marie Gallo, daughter Gina, son Matt with wife Kathleen, and friends Maisie and Tom Crosby. They definitely didn't need to tell me they were having fun.

Jeanne Costello, first director of the YWCA Women's Shelter and also an accomplished equestrienne, was taking the opportunity to entertain loyal supporters Sue Dewar and Joyce Nicholas. Honorable Judge Wendy Duffy and Bonnie Bruhn relaxed and enjoyed the show in the midst of wonderfully mild weather while Morley Brown and Ron Weitzman caught up on old gossip with Swiss resident Ghity Corbat.

A very elegant Cinthia Tipton Sharp was very serious, though, in making the point that much more support is needed to help battered women. (Their literature says it all: "Domestic violence is not an issue, it's a crime!") She is also



▲ Stoddard Johnston and Nona Heid wait for the excitement to begin during the P.B. Equestrian Classics' Sixth Annual Jumping Derby.

■ Loyal supporters Jane Dart and Suzanne Diamond listen to artist/author Elizabeth Murray at La Mirada.

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the author of the quote with which I began my column, though she added that men have been wonderful volunteers too. I must say I came away wondering how I could squeeze involvement with this group into my insane schedule. There are many good causes out there but I've always had a soft spot for the cause of battered women which happen to include very bright and successful professionals, too — and their children. They need all the help they can get. This week, I say, Hats Off to those who help them, with sweat and/or donations.

■ La Mirada gathering highlights museum's success

Earlier in the week, on July 21st, the Monterey Museum of Art held its annual meeting at exquisite La Mirada. Director Richard Gadd spoke of the impressive accomplishments of the past year, including the exhibition "Toward the Millennium: Contemporary Paintings from Northern California" and involvement with the Oceans Fair Conference. The museum is also working with Monterey and the State of California in planning the sesquicentennial event for October 1999. And definitely mark your calendar for their fall event conceived with the Metropolitan Museum of Art's **Philippe de Montebello**.

What really hit me was the announcement from Treasurer Michael Mazur that for the third year in a row they've had a net

profit — even though it costs \$1 million to operate the museum! Now, anybody who's worked with nonprofits knows that unless you're with a Getty-related outfitit takes unbelievable hard work and dedication to pull that off. But I'm not surprised. With the discipline Board President Mary Reese Green demands of her crew (" . . . don't you dare get long-winded and talk more than a minute . . . "!), loyal and generous donors like Jane Dart know that their gifts are put to fabulous use.

CAA mobilizes

An interesting feeling pervaded the meeting of Carmel Art Association's associates on July 23rd. If you try to visualize what the word "mobilization" means, you can come close to what Director Janet **Howell** was attempting — successfully in her preview of the show featuring California artist Percy Grey. Profiled in the current American Art Review magazine, the show promises to be particularly significant with the commitment of loyal supporters like Flo Snyder and Roger and Barbara Bolgard.

On a side note, have you ever heard of a "happy cemetery"? If you think it doesn't exist, you should take a look at one of artist Belinda Vidor's latest works. Yes, it's a cemetery but it honestly tempts you to skip and laugh among the bright flowers.

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■ Feast of Lanterns catches fine weather

I couldn't resist: I had to swing by Pacific Grove's Feast of Lanterns to catch some of the excitement there on July 25th. What I caught was a very funny show put on by the



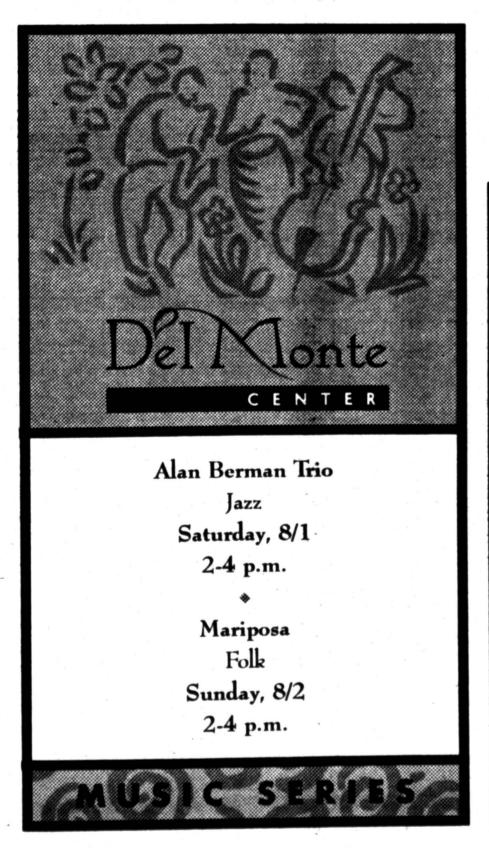
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A REAL TOM BOY is Girlie Endert, 7. In the briny deep off Carmel Beach, she'll fasten onto the board of a startled surfer with her teeth, hitching a free ride on the waves — and she'll infiltrate any ball game she encounters, whether invited or not.

On Tuesday, the air at the beach was limpid, the sky was a brilliant blue, the water a dazzling aquamarine. Girlie was like a puppy, running in and out of the water, wagging her tiny tail, and smiling ecstatically.

Girlie inherited all the best traits of her Irish terrier mother and her 110-pound foxhound father: Her attractive red fur is enhanced with a white ruff and dickey and her blue eye sparkles with fun and laughter, as does her brown eye.

Dad Jack says he dare not go anywhere without her. Girlie loves to go for rides, and if left at home, works through her abandonment anxiety by chewing doors and TV cables until soothed. And she has no communication problems whatsoever: Feeling no affinity for gift toys, Girlie will trot out to the back garden and drop them over an embankment. 'Nuff said.





Belinda Vidor supplies Flo Snyder an account of her latest art projects during the CAA get-together.

Rated "G" Productions with talented kids performing scenes from different Broadway shows, including a great number from "Annie." The meteorological gods were cooperating, too. You should have seen the crowd enjoying the sunshine at Lovers Point. Was this really on the Monterey Peninsula?

■ A lesson for yours truly

Since I don't want to keep belaboring a particular point, I won't begin by telling you who I'm talking about here. I will tell you that this dinner on July 25th at Morley Brown's was a combination assignment/class lecture for me. I was reminded on this evening of how to focus on substance rather than the superficial, in my work. I was told of how the worst situations can be overcome with gracious-

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ness; I was shown how true commitment (a particularly uncomfortable word for me) is rewarded with love and caring.

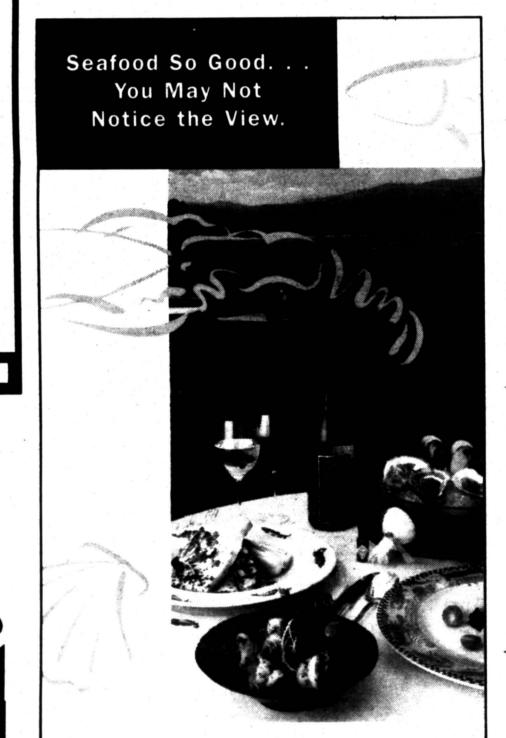
I'll add that those involved in indirectly pointing these things out to me were Flo Snyder, Mayor Ken White, Jackie Craghead, Marty Myszak, Charles Chrietzberg, and Artie Early, among many others. And now I'll tell you that this special dinner was in honor of my predecessors who produced this column so successfully, Dodie and Chuck. Need I say more?



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Gourmet...From page 6B

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Attending the happy hours (the plural is definitely deliberate), familiar and boutique beers and the fashionableagain hard liquor choices are the order of the evenings here. I was amused by the Stolichnaya martini roster, in particular the "Chocolate Stoli Martini" (\$4.50).

Ah, the magic word — dessert! The dessert menu is what I'd call "homespun." Bread and tapioca puddings, apple pie a la mode, Angel Food Cake, (in this case orange flavored with fresh berries) and assorted flavored sorbets make up the list. But the home-made ice cream is to dream about. Pastry chef Dorothy D'Allesandro started with a premium house vanilla and then blended an apricot coulis and generous chunks of white chocolate into the frozen temptation. Chef Dorothy, will you marry us?

Meanwhile, back at the Ranch, after you've vocalized and alcoholized, please have dinner. You'll be glad you did.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F981218. The following persons are doing business as ANDREW ASSOCIATES, 159 Crossroads Boulevard, Carmel, CA 93923. PAUL B. ANDREW, 2417 Bayview Avenue, Carmel, CA 93923. This business is conducted by an individual. (s) Paul B. Andrew. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 1, 1998. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on June 25, 1998. Publication dates: July 17, 24, 31, Aug. 7,1998.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F981309. The following persons are doing business as THE TREADMILL, 111 Crossroads Boulevard, Carmel, CA 93923. SIMON C. ROTHHOUSE, 9905 Club Place Lane, Carmel, CA 93923. DEBORAH K. ROTHHOUSE, 9905 Club Place Lane, Carmel, CA 93923. This business is conducted by a general partnership. (s) Deborah K.Rothhouse. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 6, 1998. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on June 25, 1998. Publication dates: July 17, 24, 31, Aug. 7,1998. (PC714).

STATEMENT File No. F981244. The STATEMENT File No. F981244. The following persons are doing business as WAL-MART STORE # 2458, 1375 N. Davis Road, Salinas, 93907, Monterey County. WAL-MART STORES, INC. DELAWARE, 702 S.W. 8th Street, Bentonville, Arkansas, 72716. This business is conducted by a corporation. (s) Robert K. Rhoads, Secretary Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 1, 1996. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on June 29, 1998. Publication dates: July 17, 24, 31, Aug. 7, 1998. PC715). FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F981312. The

following persons are doing business as ALL AMERICAN TOWING INC. TRANSPORTING DIVISION, ALL AMERICAN TOWING INC. DISMANTLING DIVISION, 516 A Dolan Rd., Moss Landing, CA 95039. CRYSTAL PYRAMID LEASING COMPANY INC., CALIF. 1083 Madison Ln., Salinas, CA 93907. This business is conducted by a corporation (s) C. Celeste Herrera, Pres. Crystal Pyramid Leasing co., Inc. Registrant commenced to transact Inc.Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 7, 1998. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 7, 1998. Publication dates: July 17, 24, 31, Aug. 7,1998. (PC716).

In re the Estate of GEORGE GANDZJUK Deceased. Case No. MP-14043

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF GEORGE GANDZJUK

Notice is hereby given to the creditors and contingent creditors of the above-named decedent, that all persons having claims against the decedent are required to file them with the Superior Court at 1200 Aquajito Road, Monterey, California 93940, and mail a copy to Kaleria Ganzjuk, Trustee of the Trust Dated December 4, 1978, wherein the decedent was the Settlor, at P.O. Box 805, Carmel, California 93921, within the later of four months after July 3, 1998, or, if notice is mailed or personally delivered to you, 30 days after the date this notice is mailed or personally delivered to you. 30 days after the date this notice is mailed or personally delivered to you. A claim form may be obtained from the court clerk. For your protection, you are encouraged to file your claim by certified mail, with return receipt requested.

(s) Thomas Hart Hawley

Altorney for the Estate

Post Office Box 805

Carmel, California 93921

Publication dates: July 17, 24, 31, 1998. (PC717)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME. STATEMENT File No. F981217. The following persons are doing business as BREEZEWAY SALON AND SUPPLIES, 26346 Carmel Rancho Lane, Carmel, CA 93923. RICHARD J. WALTERS, 41 Montsalas Dr., Monterey, CA 93940. This business is conducted by an individual. (s) Richard J. Walters. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 1, 1998. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on June 25, 1998. Publication dates: July 24, 31, Aug. 7, 14, 1998. (PC718).

CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons bearing any interest in the matter, that the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, conduct a Public Hearing.

SUBJECT: Consideration of Ordinance 98-12 authorizing an amendment to the contact between the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea and the Board of Administration of the California Public Employees Retirement System to provide Section 21382.5 (Fourth Level of 1959 Survivors Benefits) for local Miscellaneous members and local Safety members pursuant to the 1996-97 Memoranda of Understanding(1st

PURPOSE: To amend the contract between the City and PERS to provide fourth level of 1959 Survivors Benefits for local Miscellaneous members and local Safety members of the City of Carmel-

by-the-Sea.
ZONING DISTRICT: n/a
COMPLIANCE WITH CEQA: n/a **DAY: Tuesday** DATE: August 4, 1998 TIME: 3:30 P.M. or shortly

PLACE: The City Council Meeting will be held in the City Hall Council Chambers located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean

and Seventh Avenues. Any court action made pursuant to decisions made by the City on this (these) proposed action(s) may be limited to issues raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the (Planning Commission, City Council, Forest and Beach Commission, etc.) at, or prior to, the

public hearing.
ALL INTERESTED PARTIES are invited to attend said Hearing and express opinions or submit evidence for or against the proposal as outlined

BY ORDER OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA.

(s) Jeanne Brehmer, City Clerk DATED: July 23, 1998 The City of Carmel-by-the-Sea does not discriminate against persons with disabilities. The City Hall is an accessible facility. The City of Carmelby-the-Sea Telecommunications Device for the Deat/Speech Impaired (TDD) number 1-800-735-2929.

Publication dates: July 31, 1998.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F981282. The following persons are doing business as THE DOGGIE CHATEAU, 3171

Sycamore Place, Carmel, California, 93923. MARY LENAHAN CEA, 3171 Sycamore Place, Carmel, California, 93923. This business is conducted by an individual. (s) Mary Lenahan Cea. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 1, 1998. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 6, 1998. Publication dates: July 24, 31, Aug. 7, 14, 1998. (PC719).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F981308. The

STATEMENT File No. F98 308. The following persons are doing business as BLUE RIBBON CLEANING COMPANY, 618 Forest Ave., #A, Pacific Grove, CA 93950. MARYANNA KIMBERLY NORRIS, 618 Forest Ave., #A, Pacific Grove, CA 93950. This business is conducted by an individual. (s) Anna Norris. Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 10, 1998. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 7, 1998. Publication dates: July 24, 31, Aug. 7, 14, 1998. (PC724).

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY In the Matter of the Application of BART DALLAS HODGINS, petitioner, for Change of Name Case No. MAGRO3.

Case No. M40803.
WHEREAS, Bart Dollas Hodgins, petitioner, has filed a petition with the clerk of this court for a decree changing petitioner's name from Bart Dallas Hodgins to Bart Girard Harrington: IT IS ORDERED that all persons

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above matter appear in Department A of this court, located at 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey, CA 93940, on August 28, 1998, at 9:30 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, and show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order to show cause be published in The Carmel Pine Cone, a newspaper of general circulation printed in Monterey County, California, once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to the date set to hearing on the petition.

Date: July 15, 1998

Publication dates: July 24, 31, Aug. 7, 14, 1998. (PC726).

NOTICE OF BULK TRANSFER
INCLUDING LIQUOR LICENSE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to creditors that DOLORES STREET CORPORATION, herein called "Seller". whose address is P.O. Box 4307, Carmel, CA 93921, intends to make a bulk sale of that business known as "EM LE'S RESTAURANT" which is located on Dolores Street between 5th and 6th Streets in Carmel, California, to HESHAM K. ABDUL DAYEM AND YOUSRA M. ELMACHTOUB, herein called "Buyer", whose address is 340 Ramona Avenue, #8, Monterey, CA 93950.
So far as known to Buyer, Seller has within the last three years used the following business name and address:
Em Le's Restaurant, P.O. Box 4307, Carmel, CA 93921.
The assets to be transferred are described in general as furniture, fixtures, equipment, inventory, leasehold, Department of Alcoholic Beverages Control License and general intangibles of that certain restaurant business known as EM LE'S RESTAURANT located on Dolores Street between 5th and 6th Streets in Carmel, California, 93921.

The transfer is to be consummated on or after August 19, 1998, at 5:01 pm through an escrow established with David S. Ragent, Attorney at Law, located at 704. Forest Avenue, Pacific Gove, California, 93950. Written claims may be filed with said escrow holder at his office address, but the last day for creditors to file written claims with said Escrow Holder at his office address, but the last day for creditors to file written claims with said Escrow Holder at his office address, but the last day for creditors to file written claims with said Escrow Holder at his office address, but the last day for creditors to file written claims with said Escrow Holder at his office address, but the last day for creditors to file written claims with said Escrow Holder at his office address will be Thursday, August 18, 1998 or until approval of the transfer is later. This transaction is not subject to California Business and Professions Code Section 6106.2, but is subject to California Business and Professions Code Section 524074, et seq.

David S. Ragent, Escr

buyer Publication date: July 31, 1998. (PC727).

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT File No. F981336. The
following persons are doing business
as FOREST COTTAGE, P.O. Box
6232, Carmel Plaza, #106, Carmel,
California, 93921. DAVID SCHMIDT,
995 Ransford Ct., Pacific Grove, CA
93950, This business is conducted by
an individual. (s) David Schmidt.
Registrant commenced to transact Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on August 1, 1998. This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on July 10, 1998. Publication dates: July 31, Aug. 7, 14, 21,1998. [PC728].

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
TS No.: 96-0774-0321 Loan No.:
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SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.
On August 20, 1998 at 1:30 PM, Lonestar
Mortgagee Services, L.L.C., as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed
of Trust recorded January 2, 1990, in book
2455, page 31, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Monterey
County, State of California. Executed by
Durell D. Agha, a unmarried woman Will Sell
at Public Auction to Highest Bidder for Cash
(payable at time of sale in lawful money of
the United States) At the main South entrance to the North Wing of the County
Courthouse, at 240 Church Street, Salinas,
CA. (Note: cashier's check(s) must be made
payable to Lonestar Mortgagee Services,
L.C. all right, title and interest conveyed to
and now held by it under said Deed of Trust.
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The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property de-

in the above mentioned Deed of Trust. APN #15-051-36

The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 25523 Hacienda Place, Carmel, CA. 93923 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$603,195.89.

The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located.

Date: July 23, 1998 Lonestar Mortgagee

Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located.

Date; July 23, 1998 Lonestar Mortgagee Services, L.L.C., as Trustee Christy McClung, Authorized Signature Address: 15000 Surveyor Boulevard, Suite 250, Addison, Texas 75244 For Trustee's Sale information please call (916) 974-6099 Lonestar Mortgagee Services, L.L.C. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

that purpose. Pub: 07/31/98, 08/07/98, 08/14/98 CNS1625742

Publication dates: July 31, Aug. 7, 14, 1998. (PC729).

THE BOOKSHELF

By Margot Petit Nichols

Steinbeck novel earned sympathetic review here in '39

Another CARMEL

Steinbeck connection: — "M.L." are the initials on The Pine Cone's "Off the Book Shelf" column of April 21, 1939, and they stand for Marjory Lloyd who wrote for the Pine Cone in those days. As social editor, she originated the Pine Needles column, and later, in the '50s and '60s, edited the

paper for some 10 years.

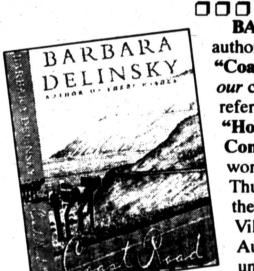
Because comments about John

Steinbeck have appeared in this column over the past month, it is timely to recall that Marjory Lloyd wrote a review in her Pine Cone book column in April, 1939 of John Steinbeck's "The Grapes of

Wrath" — which had just been published by The Viking Press, New York. Her review was fairly controversial for the time in that it echoed Steinbeck's sympathies for the proletariat, the dust bowl immigrants of whom Lloyd wrote compassionately in her article, pointing out that they were sixth and seventh generation Americans — "Americans who have lived in pride on their own land and [have been] forced from it by the merciless forces of nature and the equally remorseless forces of the economic system." She continued, "At the end, their story is unsolved. They are still with us in our valleys and on our highways. What is to become of them?"

Both Marjory and her husband Frank — who earlier had edited The Pine Cone-Cymbal — were friends of John Steinbeck and his first wife Carol, and enjoyed visits from them in their home on San Carlos between 13th and Santa Lucia. John died in 1962, and years later, during the annual Steinbeck Festivals in Salinas in the '80s, Marjory and Frank were among those Friends of John Steinbeck who reminisced and exchanged anecdotes about the Nobel Laureate and Pulitzer Prize winner from a personal standpoint.

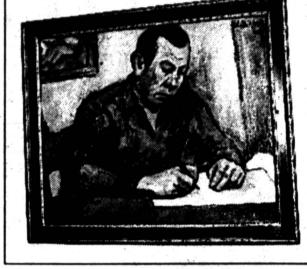
Marjory was well-versed in and respectful of Carmel's history, having lived here for well over 50 years before her death in 1992. Frank preceded her in death by some six years. We are grateful to their daughter, **Jennefer Lloyd Santee** of Carmel, for reminding us of her parents' Steinbeck connection.



BARBARA DELINSKY, author of the just-released "Coast Road," (yes, that's our coast to which Delinsky refers), will be conducting a "How to Write

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the Barnyard Shopping
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August 1 from 10 a.m.

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sion will be \$10, with all proceeds to benefit the Reading is Fun organization which cheers children on to read.

Who better to pass along insider information about publishing? Delinsky's books have been on the New York Times bestseller list; she has had 66 of her books published including "Three Wishes," "A Woman's Place" and "For My Daughters"; and more than 21 million copies of her books are

Daughters"; and more than 21 million copies of her books are in print worldwide in 18 different languages.

"Coast Road" has as its setting the Big Sur coast and is peopled with protagonists "with artistic ability and men who rise to the occasion," in Delinsky's own words. A lifelong New Englander, Delinsky visits the Big Sur area annually. The book is just out from Simon & Schuster, New York, and sells for \$24. Call 624-1803 for reservations.

WANTED: FAMILY ALBUM photos of day-to-day life in Monterey during the 1930s through 1970s in particular — but all photos are welcome. The Monterey Public Library is holding a "Photo Day" from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday, August 8 in the Library Community Room, 625 Pacific St., Monterey. The library will evaluate and copy selected images brought in, with the owner retaining original photos. Purpose of the collection is for the library's 150th anniversary exhibit in the fall of 1999. For more info, or to schedule an appointment, call Janis Rodman at 646-3742.



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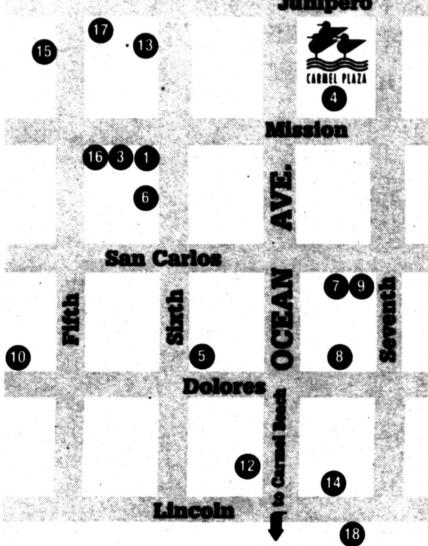
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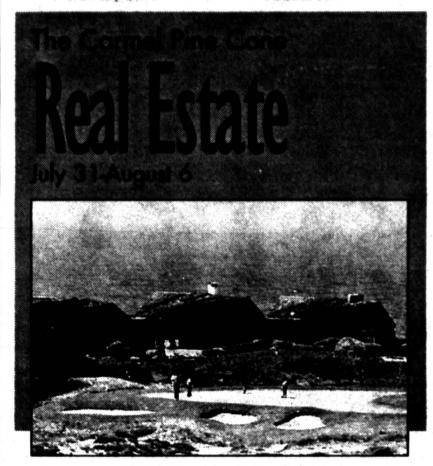
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The Carmel Pine Cone

This week's cover home presented by John Saar of John Saar Properties (see page 2)

Inside: Complete text of federal judge's decision requiring Caltrans to take a closer look at effects of Hatton Canyon Freeway on Carmel Valley environment

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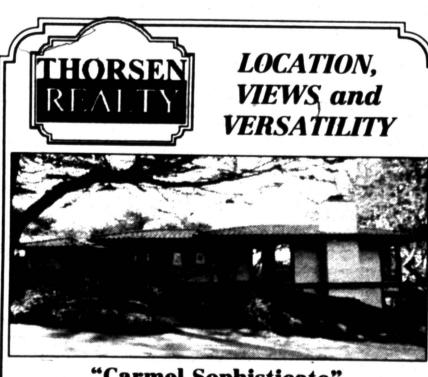
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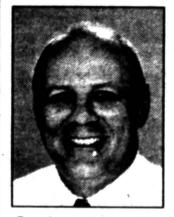
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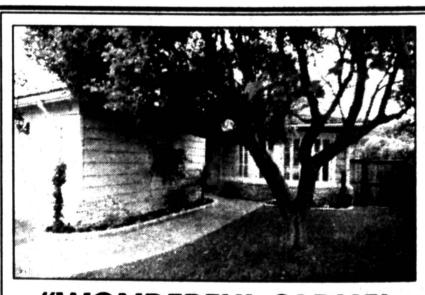
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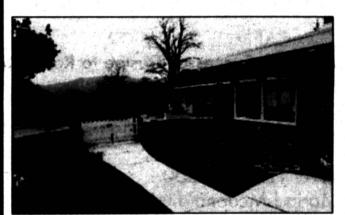
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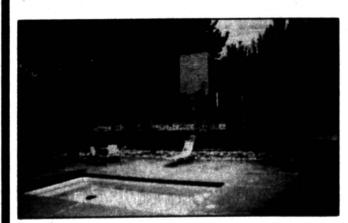
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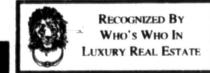
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Judge orders closer look at freeway's effect on environment

Editor's note: last week, a Federal Judge in San Jose ordered Caltrans to carry out a more thorough analysis of the "cumulative environmental impacts" of the proposed Hatton Canyon Freeway. A story about the decision appears on the front page. The following is the complete text of the judge's decision:

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DIST. OF CALIFORNIA

City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, Monterey Peninsula Regional Park District, Hatton Canyon Coalition and Sierra Club, Plaintiffs,

U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, California Dep't. of Transportation, California Transportation Commission, California Business, Transportation and Housing Agency, Defendants.

Case no. 92-20002 SW

Order Granting Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment; Denying Defendants' Counter-Motions for Summary Judgment; Enjoining Construction of the **Hatton Canyon Freeway**

PLAINTIFFS FILED this action in 1992 alleging that Defendants failed to comply with the National Environmental Policy Act ("NEPA"), and the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA"), as well as Executive Orders 11,988 and 11,990, in preparing an environmental impact statement/report and making findings before deciding to approve the construction of the Hatton Canyon Freeway near Carmel-by-the-Sea, California.

Now before the Court are parties' cross-motions for summary judgment on the issue of the adequacy of the cumulative impacts analysis provided in the Final Environmental Impact Statement/Report for the Hatton Canyon Freeway project ("Hatton EIS"). Having carefully considered the briefs submitted and the arguments of counsel at the June 17, 1998, hearing, the Court grants Plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment and denies Defendants' counter-motions for summary judgment. As a consequence of this ruling, the court must enjoin construction of the Hatton Canyon Freeway until such time as Defendants have fully complied with both NEPA and CEQA,

I. BACKGROUND:

In early 1992, Plaintiffs City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, Monterey Peninsula Regional Park District, Hatton Canyon Coalition and Sierra Club filed this action against the Federal Highway Administration and the California Department of Transportation (together, the "Agencies"), among others, contending that the Hatton EIS violated both NEPA and CEQA. After this Court granted summary judgment in favor of Defendants, Plaintiff

On August 19, 1997, the Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit affirmed in part, reversed in part, and remanded. Most important, two of the panel's three judges voted to reverse this Court's findings regarding the adequacy of the Hatton EIS's cumulative impacts analysis. The majority concluded that the Hatton EIS failed to detail the impact of relevant development projects in the region and failed to provide analysis of the cumulative impacts of those projects together with the proposed Hatton Canyon Freeway on the environment of Hatton Canyon, including its wetlands, Monterey pine forest, and population of a plant called Hickman's

The Agencies argued to the Ninth Circuit that the missing cumulative impacts analysis could be found in a separate document, not contained in the administrative record or the Hatton EIS, called the "Carmel Valley Master Plan Environmental Impact Report." The court remanded the matter to this Court for determinations as to whether the Carmel Valley Master Plan **Environmental Impact Report** was properly incorporated by reference into the Hatton EIS and, if so, whether it contained an adequate analysis of the cumulative impacts.

On March 23, 1998, the Agencies submitted to this Court a report concluding: (1) that the Hatton EIS properly incorporated by reference sections of two environmental review documents, Subsequent Carmel Valley Master Plan Draft EIR of May, 1986, and the Subsequent Carmel Valley Master Plan Final EIR of September, 1986 (together, the Subsequent EIRs"); (2) that the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs were widely available at the time the Hatton EIS was circulated for review, and were in fact provided directly to three of the four Plaintiffs in this action; and (3) that the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs, together with the Hatton EIS, contain a sufficient discussion of cumulative impacts.

On June 10, 1998, Plaintiffs filed a Response to the Agencies' report ("Response"),

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criticizing the Agencies' conclusions and asking the Court to grant the declaratory, mandamus, and injunctive relief sought by Plaintiffs owing to the alleged inadequacy of the Hatton EIS. Thereafter, the Court informed the parties that it considered the Plaintiffs' Response tantamount to a Motion for Summary Judgment on the issues (1) whether the 1986 CVMP subsequent EIRs were properly incorporated by reference into the Hatton EIS, and (2) assuming the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs were properly incorporated, whether they cured the deficiencies of the cumulative impacts analysis of the Hatton EIS noted by the Ninth Circuit. The Agencies subsequently filed separate oppositions to the motion for summary judgment in addition to counter-motions for summary judgment. Plaintiffs filed a reply and opposition to the counter-motions. Extensive oral argument was heard on June 17, 1998.

II. DISCUSSION:

A. Incorporation by Reference

The Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit remanded for a determination whether the "Carmel Valley Master Plan EIR" was properly incorporated by reference into the Hatton EIS. The one-page "Cumulative Impacts" section of the Hatton EIS, while devoid of any substantive discussion of the cumulative impacts of the Hatton canyon Freeway and other developments on the Hatton Canyon environment, contains the following reference:

The Carmel Valley Master Plan EIR addressed cumulative Impacts associated with the planned development in the project vicinity. (See Carmel Valley Master Plan EIR - Cumulative Impact Sections.)

Defendants acknowledge that the incorporation of the cumulative impacts discussions contained within 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs is not perfect, but argue that the reference substantially complies with NEPA and CEQA, and that any procedural error caused no prejudice and was harmless. Plaintiffs argue that the defective incorporation undercuts NEPA and CEQA's goals of promoting public participation in the environmental review process, and constitutes a prejudicial abuse of discretion.

1. Incorporation under NEPA

The requirements for incorporation by reference under NEPA are set forth in the following Council on Environmental Quality ("CEQ") regulation:

Agencies shall incorporate material into an environmental impact statement by reference when the effect will be to cut down on bulk without impeding agency and public review of the action. The incorporated material shall be cited in the statement and its content briefly described. No material may be incorporated by reference unless it is reasonably available for inspection by potentially interested persons within the time allowed for comment.

Material based on proprietary data which is itself not available for review and comment shall not be incorporated by reference.

Courts grant "substantial deference" to CEQ regulations as the authoritative guide for NEPA's interpretation. While it appears that the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs were readily available to the public and the decision makers, the attempted incorporation fails on other levels. First, while the regulation requires that "the incorporated material shall be cited in the statement," the reference in the Hatton EIS fails properly to cite to the targeted material. The reference points readers to the "Carmel Valley Master Plan EIR," but, as Plaintiffs explain, there are several documents that could fairly be characterized as the Carmel Valley Master Plan EIR. In fact, the only document with that specific title is a 1982 document which, under the terms of state court ruling, contains a deficient cumulative impacts analysis.

Furthermore, even assuming that a person could reasonably deduce that the authors of the Hatton EIS intended to refer to the two CVMP Subsequent EIRs instead of the 1982 Carmel Valley Master Plan EIR, the Hatton EIS fails to specify all the relevant portions of the very lengthy Draft and Final EIRs. The reference obliquely points readers to the "Cumulative Impact Section" of the Carmel Valley Master Plan EIR. Two chapters of the 1986 CVMP Subsequent Draft EIR refer to cumulative impacts: Chapter 4, entitled "Approach to Cumulative Impacts," and Chapter 6, entitled "Cumulative Impacts of Regional Development." The "Cumulative Impacts" section in the 1986 CVMP Subsequent Final EIR consists of four pages listing various public comments and official responses.

However, it is troubling that Defendants rely on several portions outside of these "Cumulative Impacts Sections" to support their argument that the the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs contain the adequate analysis. For example, the Defendants rely on several portions of the 1986 CVMP Subsequent Draft EIR outside of its two "Cumulative Impacts Sections" to support their argument that the document adequately takes into consideration impacts caused by the Hatton Canyon Freeway and the scope of various mitigation measures. Accordingly, assuming an interested party succeeded in deducing that the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs were the documents referenced in the Hatton EIS, the party would only be on notice to scrutinize a portion of the purportedly relevant information.

Furthermore, the Hatton EIS fails to "briefly describe" the content of the cumulative analysis contained within the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs. In fact, the Hatton EIS is entirely silent as to the content of the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs' cumulative impacts analysis except to say, tautologically, that it "addressed cumulative impacts." In order to fulfill the full public disclosure goals of NEPA, the requirement of a "brief description" is all the more critical when agencies attempt to incorporate by reference a

critical, and mandatory, piece of the overall environmental analysis. Unfortunately, the Agencies made no attempt to provide readers of the Hatton EIS with any inkling as to the conclusions reached in the cumulative impacts analysis of the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs. The Court is also troubled by the possibility that the decision makers themselves overlooked the purportedly incorporated material: the Agencies did not include copies of the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs in their administrative records until June, 1998, about six years after this lawsuit was filed. Moreover, the Agencies did not rely on those documents during the administrative process in responding to Plaintiffs' initial critiques of the Hatton EIS's cumulative impacts analysis.



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2. Incorporation under CEQA

For reasons similar to those stated above, the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs were not properly incorporated by reference under CEQA. Incorporation by reference under CEQA is governed by California Public Resources Code §21061, which provides:

... information and data which is relevant or is generally available to the public need not be repeated in its entirety in [an EIR], but may be specifically cited as the source for conclusions stated therein; and provided further that such information or data shall be briefly described, that its relationship to the environmental impact report shall be indicated, and that the source thereof shall be reasonably available for inspection at a public place or public building

The CEQA regulation implementing this statutory provision provides, in pertinent part:

(a) An EIR ... may incorporate by reference all or portions of another document which is a matter of public record or is generally available to the public

(b) . . . the EIR . . . shall state where the incorporated documents will be available for inspection

(c) Where an EIR . . . uses incorporation by reference, the incorporated part of the referenced document shall be briefly described if the data or information cannot be summarized. The

relationship between the incorporated part of the referenced document and the EIR shall be described.

(e) Examples of material that may be incorporated by reference include but are not limited

Subsequent EIRs and the Hatton EIS is not described, in violation of the California Public Resources Code. The Hatton EIS fails to state where the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs were located for public inspection, in violation of

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ting from another EIR.

(2) A description of the air pollution problems prepared by an air pollution control agency concerning a process involved in the project.

(3) A description of the city or county general plan that applies to the location of the project.

(f) Incorporation by reference is most appropriate for including long, descriptive, or technical materials that provide general background but do not contribute directly to the analysis of the problem at hand.

The State Defendants acknowledge that the incorporation of the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs into the Hatton EIS does not meet all the requirements of CEQA. Indeed, the Hatton EIS fails to "specifically cite" to the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs and the incorporated portions thereof, in violation of the California Public Resources Code. The Hatton EIS fails to briefly describe or summarize the content of the relevant sections of the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs, in violation of the California Public Resources Code. The relationship between the incorporated part of the 1986 CVMP

California regulations.

The State Defendants argue, however, that the defective incorporation "substantially meets the intent of the statute and regulation" and that it caused no prejudice to Plaintiffs, who generally understood the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs to contain the missing analysis.

While the Court is inclined to agree that in certain circumstances a "harmless error" standard may apply in a CEQA challenge, for example, when an agency fails to properly incorporate by reference certain subsidiary background documents, or when an EIR is challenged as containing insufficiently detailed information, that standard does not apply in the present case where the material selected for incorporation by reference is the entire text of a critical cumulative impact analysis. Where a provision goes to the heart of the protective measure" imposed by CEQA, failure to obey it is generally prejudicial. Accordingly, when an agency attempts to incorporate by reference an environmental analysis that "goes to the heart" of the protective measures imposed by CEQA, the Court believes that "full compliance With the letter of CEQA is essential to the maintenance of its important public purpose." The California courts have repeatedly underscored the centrality of the cumulative impacts analysis. Accordingly, the defective incorporation of the cumulative impacts analysis contained within the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs constitutes a prejudicial abuse of discretion under CEQA.

B. Adequacy of the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs' Cumulative Impacts Analysis

Even if the Defendants were correct in arguing that the faulty incorporation of the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs constituted harmless error, the two documents would still fail to fortify the Hatton EIS with what the Ninth Circuit held to be the necessary cumulative impacts analysis.

1. Adequacy Under NEPA

NEPA was enacted to ensure that federal agencies have available and carefully consider information concerning the impact of their decisions on the environment. To achieve these ends the act requires agencies to take a "hard look" at environmental consequences and to disseminate that information to the public. The "hard look" is embodied in the EIS, which must be prepared for "major Federal actions significantly affect-

ing the quality of the human environment." Only a properly prepared EIS guarantees that the decision maker has made an informed judgment as to the environmental impact of a project and has made that information available to the public.

NEPA requires an EIS to consider the "cumulative impact" of project, which the regulations define as

the impact on the environment which results from the incremental impact of the action when added to other past, present, and reasonably foreseeable future actions regardless of what agency (Federal or non-Federal) or person undertakes such other actions. Cumulative impacts can result from individually minor but collectively significant actions taking place over a period of time.

In the present case, the Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit held the cumulative analysis of the Hatton EIS insufficient because it (1) failed to catalog the relevant development projects in the area, (2) failed to assess the cumulative environmental impacts of those other projects, and (3) failed to look at those cumulative impacts, combined with the environmental impact of the proposed Hatton Canyon Freeway. The court further stated that it was

suspicious as to whether the Carmel Valley Master Plan EIR mentioned in the Hatton EIS alone can supply the necessary analysis because the Hatton EIS lacks not only a description of the impacts of past, present and future development on wetlands, Monterey pine and Hickman's onion, it also lacks an analysis of the cumulative impact of these projects and the Hatton Canyon freeway on the wetlands, Monterey pine and Hickman's onion.

Having carefully reviewed the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs, the Court concludes that they fail to adequately address the cumulative impacts under the standard set forth by the Ninth Circuit. Although Federal Defendants are correct in pointing out that the 1986 CVMP Subsequent Draft EIR contains various references to cumulative impacts, including a list of proposed development projects in the area, the references do little more than describe the environmental setting. Neither the 1986 CVMP Subsequent Draft nor Final EIR describe the expected impact of these projects on specific resources such as wetlands, Monterey pine, and Hickman's onion. The 1986 CVMP Subsequent Draft EIR sets forth only the following generalization:

The expansion of urban development into presently undeveloped areas of Monterey County would result in a cumulative reduction of native vegetation and wildlife habitat. The populations of rare and endangered species in the area may decrease, and biologically sensitive areas may be adversely impacted by new development.

Such vague generalities do not amount to the "hard look" at environmental consequences required by NEPA. Moreover, the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs ignore the cumulative impacts of area-wide development combined with the proposed freeway on wetlands, the Monterey pine, and the Hickman's onion. Accordingly, the cumulative impacts analysis contained within the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs fails to satisfy both the "hard look" requirement mandated

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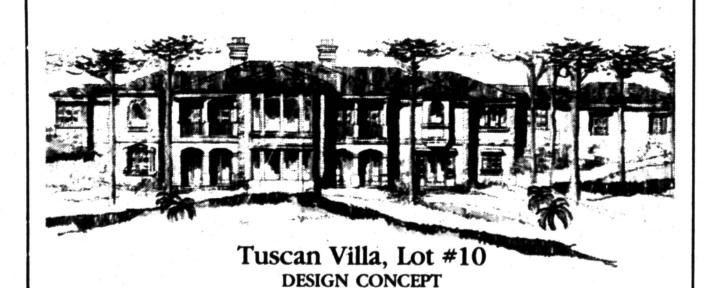


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2. Adequacy Under CEQA

Like that of NEPA, the purpose of CEQA is to ensure that governmental agencies consider the environmental consequences of their decisions. Under CEQA, the court reviews the EIR for "prejudicial abuse of discretion." In conducting this review, the court's role is to determine the sufficiency of the document, not to pass on the correctness of its environmental conclusions.

CEQA requires that an EIR analyze a project's cumulative impacts when they are significant. Cumulative impacts are "two or more individual effects which, when considered together, are considerable or which compound or increase other environmental impacts."

The discussion of cumulative impacts must address the direct as well as the indirect impacts of the proposed project in combination with all "closely related past, present and reasonably foreseeable future projects."

Although the discussion must 'reflect the severity of the impacts and the likelihood of their occurrence," it "should be guided by the standards of practicality and reasonableness."

State Defendants essentially concede that the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs fail to discuss impacts on specific resources, but argue that "a level of resource maintenance is intended to result from the development framework established by the CVMP EIR." By this statement the State Defendants appear to argue that a cumulative impacts analysis offers little utility because the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs set forth various mitigation strategies. The existence of certain mitigation strategies does not obviate the need for cumulative impacts analysis. Were it otherwise, the Ninth Circuit would not have required an analysis of the cumulative impacts on, among other things, the Monterey pine, a species which will undergo substantial replanting as part of the Hatton Canyon Freeway project.

State Defendants contend that California regulations, which provide that an EIR's cumulative impact analysis can rely upon projections contained in a general plan, shows that the reliance on the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs was reasonable. This argument has no merit. As Plaintiffs point out, the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs, which no doubt list numerous development proposals, contain no meaningful analysis of cumulative impacts.

Next, State Defendants argue that they are entitled the the cumulative impacts analysis exemption of California Public Resources Code section 21083.3. At the time the Hatton Canyon Freeway project was approved in 1991, section 21083.3, applied to CEQA review of residential development projects that were consistent with a general plan for which an EIR had been certified. The application of CEQA to such a project "shall be limited to effects on the environment which are peculiar to the parcel or to the project and which were not addressed as significant effects in the prior [EIR]." State Defendants attempted at oral argument to characterize the three-mile freeway as a "general residential development," because the freeway would, in part, serve residential needs. This argument must be summarily rejected.

State Defendants also argue that cumulative impacts are best addressed in broad general plan documents such as the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs. Assuming this argument to be correct, it does nothing to overcome the fact that the 1986 CVMP

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State Defendants also imply that Plaintiff should have challenged the sufficiency of the cumulative impacts analysis of the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs before these documents were adopted in 1986. This argument has no merit. Plaintiffs could not have known in 1986 that the Defendants would attempt to use that cumulative impacts analysis towards an entirely separate project in 1991.

In sum, the cumulative impacts analysis contained in the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs is deficient under CEQA.

III. CONCLUSION:

(1) The 1986 CVMP Draft Subsequent EIR and the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIR were not properly incorporated by reference into the Hatton EIS under NEPA.

(2) The 1986 CVMP Draft Subsequent EIR and the 1986 CVMP Final Subsequent EIR were not properly incorporated by reference into the Hatton EIS under CEQA.

(3) Even if properly incorporated under NEPA, the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs fail to cure the cumulative impacts analysis of the Hatton EIR held to be inadequate by the Ninth Circuit under NEPA.

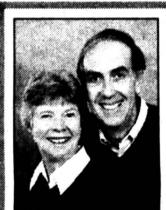
(4) Even if properly incorporated under CEQA, the 1986 CVMP Subsequent EIRs fail to cure the cumulative impacts analysis of the Hatton EIR held to be inadequate by the Ninth Circuit under CEQA.

(5) Accordingly, the Hatton EIS violates both NEPA and CEQA

(6) The Agencies' approval of the Hatton Canyon Freeway project is hereby SET ASIDE.

(7) The Defendant Agencies are hereby ENJOINED from beginning construction of the Hatton Canyon Freeway until such time as they have fully complied with NEPA and CEQA. Defendants are reminded that under the ruling of the court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, they must also consider the effect of any additions to the Hatton EIS on the remainder of the Hatton EIS.

Plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment is GRANTED; Defendants' counter-motions for summary judgment are DENIED. Although the Court sympathizes with the plight of the Agencies and other public entities which have for decades engaged in a very public struggle to find the best solution to a daunting traffic problem, the Court must note that it is not at liberty to sidestep the ruling of the Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit in an effort to put an end to the Agencies' seemingly Sisyphean endeavors. The decision makers and the public must



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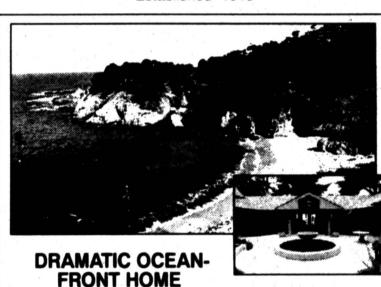
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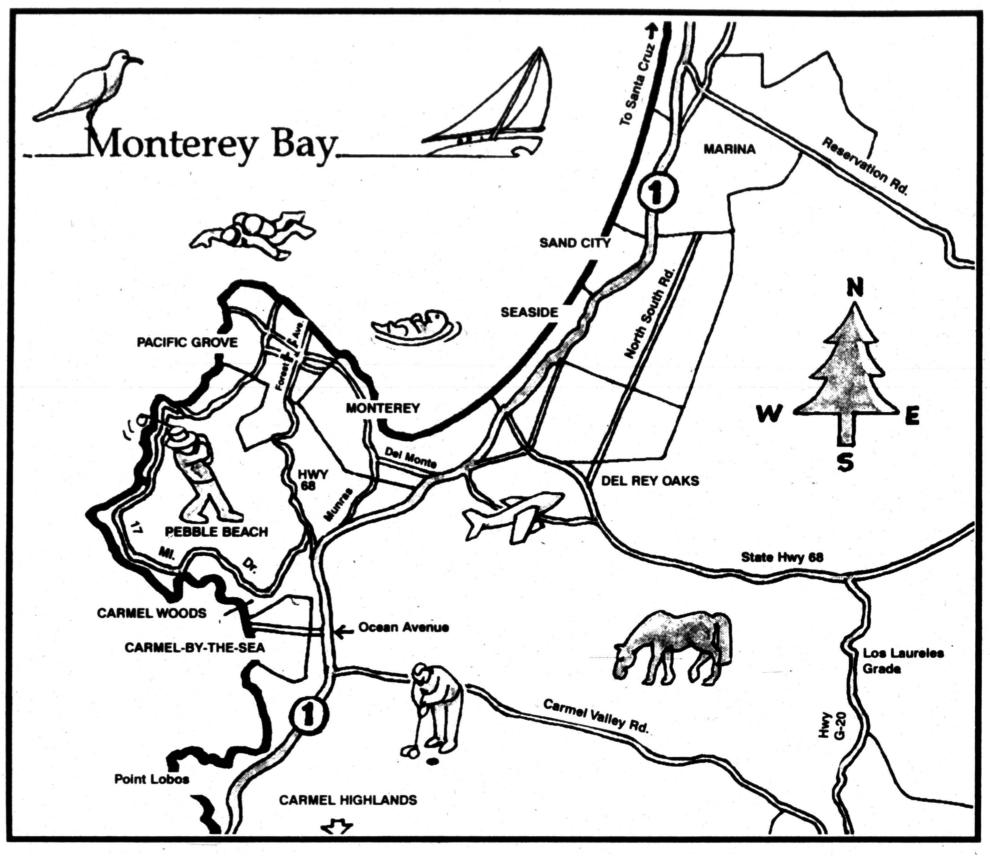
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\$745,000 2br 2ba 1 NE Junipero & 11th	Su 1-4 Carmel
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Santa Rita 2NW of 5th	Carmel
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CARMEL VALLEY

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271 El Caminito Road	Carmel Valley
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40 Country Club Dr.	Carmel Valley
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4074 El Boso	que Dr.	Pebble Beach
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3.5ba	Sa Su 1-5	
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\$235,000	3br 1ba	Sa Su 1-4	
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Carmel-by-the-Sea: Tree limb fell on vehicle parked on 3rd, damaging camper shell and rear cargo area.

Big Sur: A be-on-lookout was placed for a hit and run drunk driver. The vehicle was stopped on Highway One, a half-mile south of Bixby Bridge. The driver was from New York. CHP responded and arrested her for DUI.

Carmel Valley: Ford Road resident reported that someone wrote two checks from her money market account. She said she left the checkbook on her kitchen counter in a basket, and did not realize the two checks were missing until she received a statement from her bank. The checks were cashed for the sum on \$1,000.00.

Carmel area: Individual at Carmel Rancho Blvd. reported that a juvenile suspect punctured a tire on his truck with a knife. He was cited into juvenile probation.

Carmel area: Carmel Rancho Blvd. business owner reported that the subject was making rude statements about his restaurant. He wanted to make a citizens arrest. He was advised to handle civilly.

Carmel Valley: Hidden Hills Road resident reported a problem with her new neighbor. Subject is upset over his neigh-

bor's dogs barking constantly. Reporting party believes the subject is using a high-frequency dog whistle to annoy her dogs and horses.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a dog barking in a vehicle on Mission. Dog located. Not barking.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of suspicious vehicle outside an art gallery on San Carlos. Person was legitimately loading art works for transport to another gallery in Monterey.

Carmel area: Carmel resident reported the clean-up crew at shopping center making too much noise with their gasoline blowers this morning.

Pebble Beach: Coyote Road resident reported a 16-year-old juvenile has been making harassing phone calls to her. The juvenile was advised to stop.

Carmel Valley: Individual at Mid-Valley Shopping Center reported a domestic dispute in a vehicle at the parking lot. Reporting party was at a pay phone and she advised that she and her boyfriend had a verbal argument while driving home. He was stopped a short distance away, and both were fine.

THURSDAY, JULY 23

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Woman concerned about safety of a child playing in street on Casanova. Mother contacted, no violations noted.



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Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a woman screaming in the area of Junipero and 4th. Unable to locate.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Two parties who had been drinking contacted on Lausuen having an argument. Both accepted a ride to their inn.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Man on Escole Way having difficulty breathing. Transported to CHOMP.

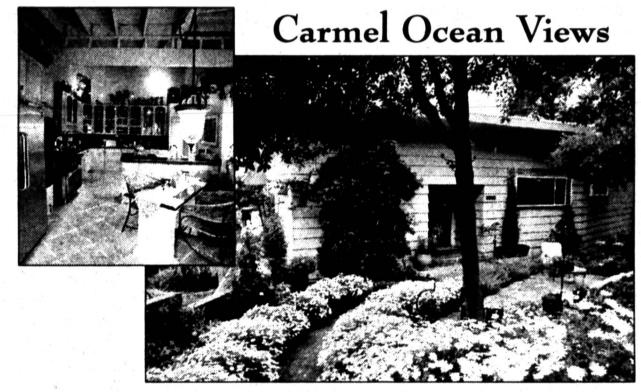
Carmel-by-the-Sea: Officer stopped a truck on San Carlos which displayed license plates reported stolen in Anaheim.

Person driving truck turned out to have stolen them from his own father. Plates recovered but father did not wish to press charges.

Carmel Valley: El Camino Estrada resident reported he was awakened during the night and could hear doors closing and people talking. He went outside and saw several carloads of subjects in the roadway. He asked what was going on. They advised that they had car trouble and left a short while

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POLICE LOG

From page 9C

later. He was worried that they may have broken into his vehicle. All was secure.

Big Sur: Resident on Highway One, south of Hurricane Point, reported the theft of a generator from a shed on her property.

Carmel Valley: Individual reported her wallet stolen while she did her laundry at a laundromat.

Carmel area: Patrol observation found a white male juvenile in possession of cigarettes. Subject was cited and

Pebble Beach: A report of a structure fire revealed a Chamisal Way resident left a pot on the stove and it began to smoke. A fire did not occur. CDF captain said they had been at the house two other times this month for similar things. Resident was found to be unable to care for herself and was taken to CHOMP on a 72-hour hold.

FRIDAY, JULY 24

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a vehicle parked on Scenic that, according to an anonymous person, could match the vehicle involved in the Christina Williams kidnapping. Vehicle was gone on officer's arrival; information forwarded.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Woman said her husband had left for Monterey at noon and she hadn't seen him since. Their meeting place was supposed to be Del Mar so officer suggest she look for him there instead of in business area. She found her husband waiting for her at Del Mar.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Two children accidentally locked inside guest room at inn on Ocean. Spare key used to open door.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Woman on Torres reports a man hit her. No supporting evidence of physical violence was found.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Possible break-in reported on Crespi. Suspicious marks on door were caused by protruding screw in door frame.

Carmel area: Staff member reported an ex-employee came back to an inn in the Highlands and acted very bizarre. The employee was told by the reporting party not to return.

Carmel Valley: Valley Greens Circle resident reported a civil problem with her ex-gardener, about a final payment for services.

Carmel area: Black Jaguar with expired registration

over six months observed parked. The vehicle was towed and stored by Monterey Garage.

SATURDAY, JULY 25

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Officer responded to inn on Ocean after management complaint about intoxicated patrons. Upon officer's arrival they decided to return to their room for the night.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a drunk driver on San Antonio. Unable to locate.

Carmel-by-the-Sea: Report of a loose sheep dog on Dolores. Dog had moved to another location prior to officer's arrival.

Carmel Valley: Carmel Valley Road resident reported someone removed an advertising sign from his mailbox, which is on county property. Reporting party told to get a permit from the county before he continues to advertise from his mailbox.

Carmel Valley: Individual in St. Petersburg, Florida, requested an attempt to contact the a guest at Quail Lodge for emergency notification. Subjects were later located in Oregon, and contact was eventually made.

Carmel Valley: Valley Place resident tried to commit suicide by taking sleeping pills. She was taken to CHOMP for a 72-hour hold.

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LETTERS

From page 18A

maximum penalty is a small fine, which I believe tops out at \$100. In other words, it's like a traffic ticket, and even a little less severe, which leads me to another point.

In the same section of The Pine Cone, there is an article about the problem of speeding in Carmel. If you are convicted of driving at excessive speed or running a stop sign, your fine will be higher than Whitaker's will be if she is convicted, and rightly so. A small bag of marijuana sitting in someone's bedroom is no threat to me, but a 2 ton piece of metal hurtling down the street at an unsafe speed is a threat to anyone in the area. If Whitaker should be removed, then so should any member of the commission who has ever or does ever get convicted of violating the California Vehicle Code.

I think that the Pine Cone has its priorities skewered. Instead of writing an editorial about why Whitaker should be replaced, why don't you write one about why dangerous driving in some areas of Carmel is something that, according to Chief Fuselier, "... you just have to live with"

I do commend the Carmel P.D. for the 392 speeding tickets they've given out so far this year, but I respectfully suggest that they turn it up a notch, because otherwise sooner or later —it's not going to be a cat or fender that gets crunched; it's going to be a problem that somebody will have to die with. And if that happens, it won't do a whole lot of good for "Carmel's village character."

Chris Bullock, Seaside

'Forget it' if fire strikes Hatton Canyon Dear Editor,

The people who pay taxes to the Regional Park District are not being well served by their continued spending of our funds on lawyers and court costs to delay the Hatton Canyon Scenic Highway.

The worst thing that could happen to us would be to have Caltrans pull out of ownership of the Hatton Canyon, not just for the drastic need to relieve traffic on Highway 1 and the overflow filling the streets of Carmel, but also for fire protection for the myriad of homeowners in the several subdivisions lined up East of the canyon.

Caltrans has spent thousands yearly, and particularly in the past weeks, to keep open the fire road in the canyon that was washed out during the winter storms.

State fire department officials have reported critical fire suppression areas in the canyon. The park district is not equipped to protect the thousands of residents in that area.if it gained ownership. With the prevailing strong winds in the canyon, it would be "a five minute fire" to lose it all.

There is more than houses to consider. Often traffic on Carmel Valley Road is so heavy that residents wait a halfhour to just get out of the single exit. "Forget it" if all attempt to leave at once during an emergency.

Hopefully, a continuation of Outlook Drive could be in the works to save them all if the Hatton Canyon congestion relief is delayed by the activities of our own Regional Park District, the City of Carmel, the Hatton Canyon Coalition and the Sierra Club. Lois Starnes, Carmel

Richly deserved recognition Dear Editor,

I love to think of the newly named "Jane Powers Walkway" as a path beaten to the door of her studio by all those artists and writers drawn by her and her Bohemian Club husband to early Carmel, particularly after 1906. This gifted artist, this beautiful magnet of a lady, this wife of Carmel's co-founding father, was certainly Carmel's founding mother, for her legacy has lingered on down through this century and shows no sign of lessening.

It's just unfortunate that Frank Powers isn't still around to lease one of his innumerable lots for a dollar a year to any aesthetically talented applicant. Yes, what Jane wanted, he wanted.

A capacity load of thanks to the Carmel Council and to the Carmel Heritage for opening the gate to this richly deserved recognition.

Mary Louise Schneeberger, Carmel-Monterey

Seeking Bechdolt

Dear Editor,

I would appreciate hearing from anyone who knew, or has information about, Frederick R. Bechdolt, especially in connection with the prison novel, "9009," he wrote with Jimmy Hopper. "Bech" lived in Carmel from 1907 until his death in 1951. Please write to me at 1825 Vine Street #2, Berkeley, Ca., 94703-1161, or phone me at (510) 526-

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ARROYO GRANDE! This desirable townhouse offers more space than many Carmel homes. The 400 sq. ft. living room and adjoining solarium allow great flexibility in space. Sun shines into the eat-in kitchen, with a laundry on one side and enclosed patio on the other. Three bedrooms & 2-1/2 baths. Use of pool, spa, tennis courts, and beautifully maintained grounds. \$359,900

CARMEL POINT PROPERTY! Terrific home designed by John Mandurrago to be built on an oversized lot on Carmel Point. Gracious open floor plan with spacious master suite & 2 fireplaces on the main level. Two bedrooms & extra sitting area on the upper level. Media room and wine cellar on the lower level. Patios & decks will enhance outdoor living. Completion in Fall of '98. \$1,650,000. (Lot plus plans may be purchased before construction commences for \$795,000.)



VILLA MAR MONTE! Overlooking forest, ocean and Point Lobos views is this elegant Mediterranean estate home. Of 5300 sq. ft., it is located on 1.38 acres on a quiet Carmel cul-de-sac. Featuring two-story ceilings, fabulous kitchen/family room combo and an elegant oversized master suite with fireplace. This 6-bedroom, 5 -1/2-bath home offers the ultimate in location, quality and design. \$1,695,000.

NEW ON MARKET! Great Carmel Mission Fields home conveniently located near shops, restaurants, schools and beach. Features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, wood-burning fireplace in the living room, 2-car garage and new interior paint. Situated on a large lot in a quiet location, this home is ready for you to occupy. Carmel school district. Priced for quick sale. \$305,000.

EXCEPTIONAL VALUE! This 4-bedroom, 3-bath home features hardwood floors and separate dining room. Recently updated kitchen and newer hardwood floors in living room and dining room. The 4th bedroom has a separate entrance for a variety of living options. Fruit trees and flowers grace this property. \$415,000.

VINTAGE HOME! This charming miniestate on 2 Carmel Woods lots was built in 1926. Brick paths, patios, and pretty gardens are interspersed on the approximate 1/3-acre grounds. Affectionately named "Harp of the Sea," this home features a peek of the ocean, loft, 4 bedrooms, 3-1/2baths and artistic touches throughout. This unique property is perfect for those seek-

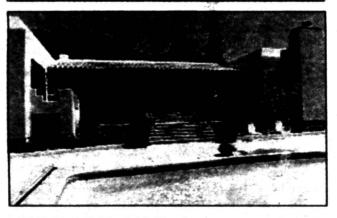
CARMEL HIGHLANDS

ing vintage style and 'fairytale' ambience.



NEW ON MARKET! Located in the desirable Highlands area, this unique home on a landscaped lot offers spectacular ocean vistas. This 4-bedroom, 2-1/2-bath home offers a flexible floor plan on several levels. Open-beam ceilings and a wall of windows create an open and light environment. The patio with freestanding barbecue pit provides an enjoyable entertainment area. Feel the salty air rush by on the observation area below. \$2,498,000.

CARMEL VALLEY



"PUEBLO DEL SOL!" Just beyond the village, discover this spacious southwesternstyle home on 5 level acres. Prepare to enjoy the mountain views and the 32-foot solar-heated pool. There's even a large covered patio, ideal for outdoor entertaining. The 3-bedroom, 3-1/2-bath home with den offers about 3800 sq. ft. of living space accented with Saltillo tile & interior walls plastered with bullnose edges. \$1,100,000.

NEW ON MARKET! In Brookdale neighborhood close to Quail Lodge, on a riverfront one-acre parcel is this wonderful singlelevel home. About 2600 sq. ft., the 3-bedroom, 2-bath home boasts a dining area and fireplaces in the family room, roomy living room and master suite with wet bar. Ample covered parking. A unique opportunity to own a riverfront home and space to create your own park. Home in process of remodel. Buyer may complete if desired. **\$649,000**.

PRICE REDUCED! Check out this charming 3-bedroom, 3-bath home - converted from a barn - with separate 1-bedroom guesthouse on a secluded acre. Delightful 1 bath features include a large stone fireplace in the living room, spacious master suite and private patio area. Convenient to the Village, shopping and school, this country home could delight the buyer looking for a relaxed lifestyle. \$499,500.

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MONTEREY

IMMACULATELY MAINTAINED! Golf course, airport, beaches, shopping, privacy, walking distance to York School and backed by greenbelt. Could you ask for more? This traditional 4-bedroom, 3-bath home is situated on 2+ acres accessed by a private driveway leading to a 3-car garage. Well appointed kitchen has easy access to a solarium, dining room & formal living room with fireplace. An immaculately maintained property. \$795,000.

JUST LISTED! Adorable 2-bedroom, 1bath cottage is convenient to town. A brick fireplace warms the living/dining area. Other thoughtful features include hardwood floors, French doors and an English garden. The easy-care yard with auto sprinklers completes this wonderful package. A great weekender or second home. \$325,000.

WOODRIDGE ACRES! Situated in a superior location, this 3-bedroom, 2-bath home is sited on a large parcel that is neatly landscaped. Entry into home is preceded by a small enclosed garden. The living room is large with a fireplace and there are high, open beamed ceilings throughout. The large kitchen with breakfast bar, adjacent dining room, walk-in closets in the master bedroom and lots of decking completes this package. \$429,000.



STARRY, STARRY NIGHT! Old-world charm situated on 3 lots. Perched atop a hill that provides some views of the bay. Features oak floors, wainscoting throughout, teak wood rails on deck, separate entrance for downstairs room with laundry area, and lots of storage. Built-in bookcases in the living room with gorgeous fireplace, family room overlooks one of the lots, convenient kitchen. Close to downtown Monterey, recreation trail and the Wharf. \$633,000.

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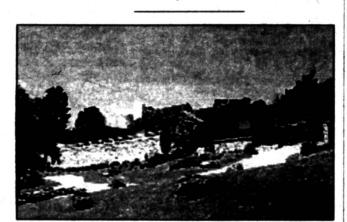
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NEW ON MARKET! Attractive French home of 2700 sq. ft. with 3 bedrooms, 2-1/2-baths, family room, formal dining, crown moulding, and tastefully decorated and well maintained. There is a large patio off the family room, ideal for entertaining. Open green space behind assures privacy. Plus guest quarters with living room, bedroom, bath & kitchenette, and a studio/bath over the 2-car garage. Bright & cheerful, a charming home. \$925,000.

WELCOME HOME! This 1/3-acre level lot has a lovely fenced yard with patio. The 3bedroom, 2-1/2-bath home has a formal tiled entry leading to the living room with its brick fireplace. The large kitchen includes a cozy area for informal dining. In addition, there is a formal dining room, and large family room. The indoor laundry is just off the kitchen and the attached 2-car garage. **\$**520,000.

ROOM FOR EVERYONE! This home is waiting for a new owner that needs more room. The 2-story home features about 3700 sq. ft. of living space, 3 bedrooms, 2-1/2-baths, family room, dining room, fireplace with insert, master suite, relaxing tub with jets, office, deck, barbecue area, and front sprinkler system. Enjoy the greenbelt and ocean views from this spacious home situated on about 3/4-acre. \$769,000.